



'Come Unto These Yellow Sands'—and Cool Off—

CLOTHES came off with a rush Wednesday as temperatures in Victoria shot up to 69 degrees—one of the highest ever recorded for April 18. These pictures taken at Willows Beach by Times reporter-photographer John Bassett catch the spirit of early summer with (1) Karl Loeschnick, 516 Trutch

Street, rubbing tan oil into the back of his wife, Ina; (2) Dominic Borrelli, 2½, of 2160 Haultain, giving his new bikini a whirl; (3) Victoria College students Carolyn Maysmith, 18, Lynda Bishop, 18, and Margaret Clark, 18, working against a background of seascapes and music; (4) Pat Scott, 19,

pulling Jancis Fulton, 18, out of the water after she tripped and fell. It was still warmer elsewhere. Kamloops recorded a high of 84 degrees, Port Alberni 75, Vancouver 72. But it was generally cooler today. Victoria temperatures dropped to around 60 at noon, with sunny-cloudy weather ex-

pected to continue Good Friday and Saturday. Southwesterly winds of between 15 and 20 miles per hour are likely and there may be showers Friday night. The outlook for Sunday is uncertain, but Weatherman Bill Mackie is hopeful more sunshine is on the way.

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Medical Care Plan Unveiled By Liberals

OTTAWA (CP)—A proposed medical care plan described by Party Leader Pearson as a "major social advance" was unveiled today by the Liberal party.

Gov.-Gen. Dissolves Parliament

By ALEX YOUNG
Times Ottawa Bureau
OTTAWA — Canada's 24th parliament came to its formal end today and politicians began fanning out across the nation in their quest for support in the June 18 federal election.

Only a handful of MPs remained on Parliament Hill, winding up their affairs, as Prime Minister John Diefenbaker took off shortly after noon for Quebec City to get dissolution of parliament from Governor-General George Vanier.

The prime minister advised His Excellency he wanted dissolution and the issuance of writs for a June 18 general election.

The governor-general signed the proclamation at 2:26 p.m. E.S.T., ending the life of the 24th parliament, and affixed the great seal. He also approved orders-in-council setting the election date and ordering return of the writs.

The last sitting of the election-tense 24th parliament ended at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday. (See page 3.)

REPETITION OF '58

Diefenbaker's trip to the citadel today is a repetition of the way he dissolved parliament before his overwhelming victory in the 1958 campaign.

The prime minister's charge that he was forced into dissolution by opposition "obstruction" is viewed skeptically by most observers here.

The opposition argument that it was simply doing its job is generally regarded as a fair assessment. The consensus is that Diefenbaker's obstruction charge was no more than a gimmick to permit him to give some reason for the dissolution.

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COMMONWEALTH MEET FIXED FOR SEPT. 10

LONDON (Reuters)—Prime Minister Macmillan today announced Sept. 10 as the date of the long-awaited Commonwealth prime ministers' conference to discuss the vital question of Britain's entry into the Common Market.

He told the Commons the market issue will be "the main purpose of the meeting, although we shall of course make our normal review of world affairs."

In Ottawa, Prime Minister Diefenbaker said he was "very pleased" because by that time, Britain's negotiations with the six market nations should have reached a decisive point.

SEATTLE IN A DITHER

Everything Is 'Go' For Fair Launching

SEATTLE (AP)—Today is Fair Day Minus 2. And if there's any question in your mind about the importance of the next few hours, you ought to see the activity on the grounds of the Seattle's World's Fair.

There's a blur of motion as a workman finishes planting rhododendrons near the playhouse. "We were supposed to be done by March 15," muttered Roy Davidson, as he popped a plant into a hole and moved on. "We'd plant something. Then someone would come along, dig it up and put a pipeline under it. That's why we're working nights."

Will the planting be done in time for Saturday's gala opening? "Oh sure," he said. "There's no doubt about that."

In front of the Thailand exhibit, a young man named Charangsee Elumopas slapped layers of wet plaster on a statue of a Thai temple guard.

Will the statue be completed? "I don't think we'll have any problem," was the reply. In the fashion pavilion, a group of models rehearsed. Will they be ready?

As one of their instructors put it, "We're in great shape."

The fair will not open officially until noon Saturday when President Kennedy taps an historic gold telegraph key at his Easter vacation headquarters in Palm Beach, Fla.

That will set the restaurant atop the 600-foot space needle revolving, turn on the 100-foot-high international fountain, start the 538 bells of the world's largest carillon pealing and put 20 rides in the gayway section in action.

'Best Buy Ever,' Says Bennett

(See Also Page 6)

VANCOUVER (CP)—Premier Bennett said today he believes the new \$25,000,000 bond issue of the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority is the best issue ever put on the market.

"at this or any other time."

The premier was addressing some 400 bankers, brokers and

other financial men he invited to a breakfast meeting to acquaint them with details of the new issue which goes on sale Tuesday.

Co-director of the authority, Dr. Gordon Shrum told the financial men he believed the authority could give the people power "at the lowest possible cost."

ONE UNIT

Unlike power setups in the United States and elsewhere where various companies handled various phases, the new

charge of generation, transmission and distribution of power for almost the entire province.

Dr. H. L. Keenleyside, the other co-chairman of the Authority, said that even with the recently announced lower power rates by the Authority the former B.C. Power Commission phase of the new operation would have a profit of "four, five or six hundred thousand dollars" in the next fiscal year.

The \$25,000,000 from the bond issue will be used to refund outstanding notes of the Authority.

The bonds were issued by the new British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority, and represent the first long-term financing the province has done since their takeover of the B.C. Electric Company Limited last summer.

A few weeks ago British Columbia Premier W. A. C. Bennett went to New York to discuss loans of about \$900,000,000 needed for the Peace River power project. Sources there said the United States under-

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Gov't Wins Round On BCE Takeover



RECALLED

The Soviet Union recalled Marshal Ivan Koniev from command of Soviet troops in East Germany and assigned him to a new Moscow command today in a possible Kremlin effort to diminish tension over Berlin.

WIRE BRIEFS

Finn Wins Marathon

BOSTON (CP)—Finland's Eino Oksanen, after a rugged battle over the early miles, won the 66th annual Boston marathon today.

Tshombe Goes Home

ELISABETHVILLE (AP)—President Moise Tshombe flew into Elisabethville today after United Nations soldiers with fixed bayonets deployed against Congo government troops who had prevented his departure from Leopoldville for 24 hours.

Immigration Curb

LONDON (Reuters)—Home Secretary R. A. Butler today announced that the British government will begin controlling immigration from Commonwealth countries July 1.

Coolies Build Road

VIENTIANE, Laos (UPI)—Thousands of Chinese coolies have entered Laos to build the first highway linking the jungle kingdom with Red China, it was reported today.

Leftists Rounded Up

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters)—Police began a roundup of labor and left-wing student leaders today after the armed forces demanded action by the Argentine government of President Jose Maria Guido against supporters of ex-dictator Juan Peron.

Appeal Court Order Quashes Receivership

VANCOUVER (CP)—The British Columbia Court of Appeal, in a split decision today upheld the appeal of the B.C. government against a Supreme Court order placing the B.C. Electric in receivership and freezing the assets of the utility.

BCE, the giant privately-owned power company taken over by the provincial government last August, was placed in receivership by the Supreme Court March 22 on the application of its former sole parent, B.C. Power Corporation.

It was the first court victory for the provincial government and its BCE entity in court litigation with the B.C. Power Corporation.

Dr. Harry Purdy, its former president, was given power to guard assets estimated at \$800,000,000. Since then BCE has been merged by the government with B.C. Power Commission into a single entity known as the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority.

APPEALED ORDER

The BCE and the attorney-general of the province appealed the receivership-freezing order more than two weeks ago.

The decision of the five-man Appeal Court today was split, with Mr. Justice T. G. Norris and Mr. Justice C. W. Tysse dissenting.

The decision means that pending any further legal action, Mr. Purdy ceases to be receiver of the assets of the former BCE Company and the assets now are freed.

B.C. Power said there would be no appeal against today's decision.

The development was the latest in a series of court battles between the government and B.C. Power Corporation.

Two Trapped In Gold Mine

KIRKLAND LAKE, Ont. (CP)—Two men were trapped early today in a rockburst deep in the Macassa gold mine here. Miners were digging frantically to find the men. They were trapped in a small tunnel below the 4,200-foot level and it was not known whether they were alive or dead.

The two men were identified as Russell Baskin, 34, and Ryszard Witczak, 38.

PILGRIMS GATHER IN JERUSALEM

JERUSALEM (AP)—Hundreds of Christian pilgrims flocked to Jerusalem today to celebrate Easter in the ancient walled city where Christ was crucified and resurrected.

Turbaned Copts from Egypt and Greek Cypriots mixed with American and European tourists outside the Church of the Holy Sepulchre—the most hallowed spot in Christendom.

EMBEZZLER PAYS DIVIDEND TO BANK

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A bank teller embezzled \$78,400, won a big lottery, then confessed and paid the bank back too much money, a Sydney court was told Wednesday.

John Corcoran, 25, pleaded guilty to embezzling and will be sentenced later. His lawyer told the court this story:

Corcoran took the money from the bank at various times and lost it playing the horses and greyhounds. He covered the embezzlement so well that the bank knew nothing until he won \$231,000 in a government lottery and confessed. The prosecution said he gave the bank \$85,120 for good measure.

Crackdown Urged On Oil Companies

OTTAWA (CP)—Service-station retail practices by some oil companies should be countered through amendments to the Combines Investigation Act, said a report of the Restrictive Trade Practices Commission.

Some arrangements cannot be economically justified in terms of benefit to the public, it said, creating a "cost-increasing tendency."

"There should... be a prohibition of exclusive dealing and tying arrangements... which are likely to lessen competition substantially, tend to create a monopoly or exclude competitors from a market to a significant degree."

The report dealt with an inquiry into distribution and sale of automotive oils, greases, anti-freeze, additives, tires, batteries, accessories and related products.

A public hearing here last week dealt with the situation started in 1953.

Evidence before the commission from retail and supply spokesmen said that some service stations are restricted by oil companies in the brand of accessories they can offer the public.

Justice Minister Fulton, in a statement accompanying the report today, said its recommendations would receive "careful study and consideration."

Three specific practices were under scrutiny. One is called "full-line forcing," under which a supplier such as an oil company agrees to sell or lease a commodity to the buyer—in this case a service station—on condition that a full line of other items is accepted. Another is called "directed buying." A supplier agrees to sell or lease a commodity on condition that the buyer takes another sales item from a source specified by the seller.

The third arrangement is the market-access agreement under which an oil company would obtain accessories for its service stations from a selected supplier—in exchange for a special commission on all such sales made to those service stations. Said today's report:

"It is clear that the power of an oil company to increase its sales by forcing a service station at the end of the relatively short lease period, or to terminate a lease on short notice, places it in a strong position to induce or persuade a reluctant dealer to follow a distribution policy acceptable to the oil company."

It also dealt with a submission by oil companies regarding practices for leased or financed retail outlets.

Centennial Flashback...

THE GRAND JURY found Alvin Marchand (see April 7 et seq.) guilty on two counts, of selling goods (namely, gold dust and gold ingots) deposited for a special purpose, and obtaining money under false pretences.

Some scoundrel performed the dastardly act of splashing black paint over the coat-of-arms of the United States outside the consul's office.

William Rothwell, Esquimalt, was arrested for beating his wife after she fell and broke her leg whilst trying to escape his drunken rage.

Survey of Doctors Called 'Misleading'

REGINA (CP)—Premier Woodrow Lloyd, Health Minister W. G. Davies and Donald D. Tansley, chairman of the Saskatchewan medical care insurance commission, said today they doubt the reliability of a newspaper survey of how many doctors plan to leave the province when the compulsory medical care plan goes into effect July 1.

Mr. Tansley said in a prepared statement the report of the survey was "nothing short of misleading." The questions were "leading and loaded."

He accused the Regina Leader-Post of initiating "misinformation and outright hysteria."

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THIS WORLD OF OURS
People and Things

(Times News Services)
LONDON—The girls down at the Old Bull and Bush roared with laughter today when they heard a hotel manager was calling his barmaids lady dispensers.
"Nobody's gonna call me that—and get away with it," said barmaid Myrt in an interview.
"Nor me neither," chimed in barmaid Maudie. "but it does give you a laugh."
She thought for a moment and added:
"Wot they gonna dispense—ladies?"
Myrt (for Myrtle) and Maudie (for Maud) are but two of the thousands of British women who practice the ancient and honorable art of barmaidling.
From the suds-dispensing side of the bar they comfort, guide, advise, counsel and listen patiently to the gulpers on the other side.
James Mansfield, manager of the Sandringham Hotel at Hunstanton, County Norfolk, who started calling his barmaids lady dispensers, said:
"You know, until I started using the term I just wasn't getting the right people coming here."
That also gave them a laugh down at the Old Bull and Bush.

WATFORD, England — John Antwis and the girl he promised to marry were house-hunting when they knocked at a door. Suddenly, Antwis whispered to his fiancée, "Let's get out of here."
The woman who answered the door was Antwis' wife, whom they had run into accidentally.
Antwis, a father of four, was fined \$70 for signing a false notice of marriage.

LONDON — Queen Elizabeth today carried out the centuries-old tradition of distributing the Royal Maundy, a gift of money, to old-age pensioners.
For the first time she took her two eldest children, Prince Charles and Princess Anne, to the Royal Maundy Service in Westminster Abbey. Princess Margaret and the Earl of Snowdon, who have not been to the service together before, also were present.
The Queen, with Prince Philip at her side, twice walked slowly along the line of old people standing in the choir and nave. She gave each of the 72 pensioners a leather purse containing four pounds 15 shillings (\$13.3) for the men and four pounds five shillings (\$11.9) for the women, plus the specially minted silver maundy pence, which amounts to three shillings (42 cents).

ACCRA, Ghana — Socialism today appeared to have triumphed in a month-old feud over Mary Edusei's gold-plated bed.
The feud was climaxed Wednesday with the dismissal of her husband, Krobe, from his post of industrial minister and the seizure by the government of his new \$200,000 mansion on the outskirts of Accra.
His dismissal was announced shortly after his return from London where he made a vain last-ditch attempt to persuade Mary to give up the \$3,000 bed she purchased last month from a fashionable London store.
The purchase touched off a storm of protest in Ghana where President Kwame Nkrumah's socialist government is demanding that government officials "conform to the modest and simple way of life demanded by the ideals and principles" of the ruling Convention People's Party.
Mrs. Edusei, however, stood her ground and refused to return the bed—complete with 1,240 springs—despite the store's offer to refund her money.
She also apparently turned a deaf ear to the appeals of her husband who admitted that "a gold bed is not socialism."

NEW YORK—The New York State Rent Commission has gone to court to collect what it contends has been a \$17,190 over-charge in rent for the apartment being occupied by U Thant, secretary-general of the United Nations.
The suit, filed in State Supreme Court Wednesday, asks treble damages of \$51,570.
A commission spokesman said Thant subleased the 11-room east side apartment in June, 1959, for \$1,050 a month. Two years later the rent was increased to \$1,200 a month. State rent commissioner Robert F. Herman said the legal rent for the apartment is \$402.50 a month.



OPERATION to speed complete recovery from Bell's Palsy was performed in Toronto hospital Wednesday on Agriculture Minister Alvin Hamilton, who is expected to take an active part in election campaign in about two weeks.

REDS TELL ARMS PARLEY

Neutrals' Plan Basis for Talks

GENEVA (Reuters) — Soviet delegate Valerian Zorin told the 17-power disarmament conference here today Russia will accept proposals by eight neutral countries as a basis for further negotiations toward a nuclear test ban treaty.

But he said there must be no more tests in the meantime, authoritative sources reported.
The neutrals plan, tabled at Monday's session, suggested an international commission of scientists, possibly from non-aligned countries, to report on any nuclear explosion or suspicious event and process all data received from an agreed system of observation posts.

Zorin said today fruitful negotiation could not be carried out while nuclear explosions were reverberating in the air.
The next few days must show what turn events will take, he said in a reference to United States plans to test nuclear weapons.
U.S. delegate Arthur Dean said Zorin's statement on the neutrals' proposal was "unfortunately most unclear" but it appeared to accept the plan only when parts of it coincided with the ideas of the Soviet Union.

Dean said: "What Mr. Zorin has been saying is: 'I accept everything in my favor but reject anything I don't like.'"

The United States delegate declared "let me be quite clear that unless the Soviet Union is prepared to say unequivocally and in writing that it will accept the principle of international control, including objective on-site inspection under appropriate safeguards, we cannot anticipate any significant progress."

"I hope the eight nations will understand me when I say—and I am very sorry to say—that the United States cannot rely again on an unsigned, unpoliced, uninspected moratorium."

Zorin later told reporters the neutrals' proposals made it possible for a country to decide whether to allow inspection of events on its territory. But, he said, it was impossible to say whether Russia will permit inspections in the Soviet Union.

"That is acceptable to us," Zorin said. "It does not mean that the Soviet Union will refuse to allow inspection in one case or that the Soviet Union will obligatorily invite inspection."

MLAs Asked to Join With Peace Walkers

City and district members of the legislature have been invited to attend a "Peace Walk" here Saturday from Pandora Green to the Parliament Buildings, starting at 1 p.m.
Patrick Thomas, one of the organizers of the walk for the Victoria and District Radiation Hazards Committee, said there

will be speeches at the Buildings at the end of the walk.
He will act as master of ceremonies.

The march, along Pandora Avenue and Government Street, has been organized to promote the committee's theme, "No Nuclear Arms for Canada." Up to 100 participants are expected.

Gov't to End Tolls On Narrows Bridge

VANCOUVER (CP)—Premier Bennett announced Wednesday night that the British Columbia government will shortly eliminate all tolls on the Second Narrows Bridge across Vancouver's Burrard Inlet and hand the Lions Gate Bridge over to the municipalities concerned for no charge.
Mr. Bennett made the announcement in a speech to the board of trade.

He said also that the government will pay one-third of the cost of a second crossing at the First Narrows.

The two bridges connect Vancouver with the expanding

municipalities of North and South Vancouver. The Lions Gate Bridge, built in 1938, was purchased by the government for \$6,000,000 in 1956. The Second Narrows Bridge was completed in 1959 at a cost of \$23,000,000.

The premier said that if local authorities agree to take over ownership of the Lions Gate Bridge, they can retain tolls or make the bridge free. His only stipulation: Tolls could not be increased.

"We are prepared to turn over the Lions Gate Bridge free of charge to the people of this area the moment tolls are removed from the Second Narrows Bridge," he said.

SEEK CO-OPERATION

"The B.C. government is now seeking the co-operation of the national government to remove tolls along the route of the Trans-Canada Highway through this province and we have reason to believe we will gain this co-operation," he said.
It was understood that his plan hinges on Ottawa's agreement to pay towards the cost of the Second Narrows Bridge after accepting it as part of the trans-Canada system.

Federal policy has stipulated that no tolls spans would be permitted on the new highway system. Normal federal policy is to pay the cost of two lanes on bridges, which would be about 40 per cent of the total cost of the Second Narrows.

But the premier threw cold water on hopes that metropolitan Vancouver would get provincial financial help to finance a proposed freeway system.

"The government is firmly opposed to saddling Vancouver with a network of freeways which not only deprive the city of valuable taxable land but do nothing to solve the basic problem of congestion," he said.

In his prepared speech, the premier predicted that the controversial Columbia River power development will begin during the current fiscal year.
Mr. Bennett said he had no intention of receding again all the many benefits which he

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Bill of Rights, Coyne Affair Top Issues

BY GRAHAM TROTTER

OTTAWA (CP)—The Parliament to be dissolved today sat more days than any other in Canadian history. In the process it was both productive and controversial.

First Parliament with a majority Conservative government since 1935, it probably will be remembered most for three events:

Passage of the Canadian Bill of Rights in 1960, the government's unsuccessful attempt to legislate the firing of the governor of the Bank of Canada in 1961, and Hazen Argue's 1962 bolt to the Liberal party from the Commons leadership of the CCF—New Democratic Party group.

Canada's 24th Parliament produced the longest session on record. Its 174 sitting days in 1960-61 eclipsed the previous mark of 155 days in 1952. It saw the biggest peacetime budget deficit—\$791,400,000 in the

First Since 1935 Without a Sacred

It was the first Parliament since 1935 without Social Credit party representation in the Commons and the first to receive an MP elected under the banner of the New Democratic Party, the 1961 successor to the CCF.

One issue which attracted the most public attention concerned the government bill to dismiss James E. Coyne from the governorship of the Bank of Canada six months before the end of his term.

The government refused Liberal demands that Mr. Coyne be given a hearing before a Commons committee but he made effective use of his "day in court" before a committee of the Senate.

The Liberal-dominated Senate then killed the government bill and Mr. Coyne resigned July 13, 1961—a month to the day after he revealed he had

Two CCFers Block Divorce Bills

Frank Howard, Skeena, and Arnold Peters, Timiskaming, continued their long-standing CCF argument against Parliament handling divorce bills. In the last session they prevented Commons passage of all 327 bills approved by the Senate, although in earlier sessions they let such bills go through en masse in the dying days after filibusters of up to five months.

The Parliament established the Board of Broadcast Governors, the National Energy Board, the National Parks Board, the National Productivity Council, the National Fitness Council, the National Design Council, and the National Capital Commission.

Other legislative landmarks included the municipal winter works incentive program; ending of the tax-rental program and substitution of new federal-provincial tax arrangements under which the provinces will levy their own share of income taxes;

Substitution of life imprisonment for the death penalty in unpremeditated murders but retention of capital punishment for deliberate killings; the fed-

UN Approves Food Sharing

UNITED NATIONS (AP)—A program to use food surpluses to bolster the economies of developing nations won final United Nations approval Wednesday.

With only the Soviet Union abstaining on the vote, the UN Economic and Social Council approved a three-year \$100,000,000 experimental program using cash, commodities and shipping.

Following preliminary suggestions in the Food and Agriculture Organization and the UN General Assembly, 25 per cent emergency use to meet famine and disaster conditions.



APPEARING at U.S. Senate probe into high cost of hearing aids Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt said many deaf persons are cut off from a happy life because exorbitant costs make hearing aids "out of the question." The widow of the former U.S. president wears a hearing aid built into her glasses.

Widow of Early City Cameraman Dies at Age 89

Mrs. Maude Savannah, widow of Fred Savannah, a pioneer Victoria photographer, died at her home at 921 Cook Street Monday. She was 89.

Funeral services will be held at Chaplin's Funeral Home next Saturday at 3 p.m. with Canon R. E. H. Howell of Christ Church Cathedral officiating. Interment will follow at Royal Oak Cemetery.

Mrs. Savannah was for many years an active member of Christ Church Cathedral and the Victoria branch of the Canadian Red Cross.

Her husband who died in the late 1920s was one of the city's first studio photographers. Their son was Prof. Edward J. Savannah of Victoria College who died in October, 1960. Their daughter, Elizabeth, also deceased, was married to Thomas Sturgess, deputy minister of trade and industrial development in the B.C. government.

MacKenzie Honored

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Dr. N. A. M. MacKenzie retiring president of the University of British Columbia, will receive an honorary degree and address the graduates at the annual spring convocation of Memorial University here May 19.

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None Budged On Divorces

OTTAWA (CP)—On the ranking issue of divorce, Canada's 24th Parliament broke camp Wednesday night.

The end of No. 24 came at 6:45 p.m. EST after the CCF-New Democratic Party group silently rejected a third and final appeal by Mr. Diefenbaker that it allow passage of 327 divorce petitions from Quebec and Newfoundland, the only provinces without divorce courts.

Frank Howard (CCF—Skeena) and Arnold Peters (CCF—Timiskaming) blocked the divorce pleas—they cost the petitioners between \$1,260 and \$1,500 each—to try to force the government to remove such suits from Parliament.

Mr. Peters told reporters: "If we gave this up, we'd have no chance for a change (in divorce procedure) when we come back."

Mr. Diefenbaker said divorce petitioners were being denied rights provided by Parliament. Mr. Howard said all the prime minister had to do was to give some promise that the government would bring in a measure to change the system. Even a royal commission would be a help.

Mr. Diefenbaker said he cannot place Parliament in pawn to the wishes of two MPs. Veterans Minister Churchill, government House leader, said the actions of Mr. Howard and

Mr. Peters are "a shocking affront to Parliament and to the people of Canada," before whom the two CCF MPs would "stand condemned."

Mr. Churchill said every attempt had been made to work out an arrangement for divesting the Commons of responsibility for divorce cases.

Mr. Howard said the minister was not telling the truth. Revenue Minister Nowlan demanded an apology. Mr. Howard complied.

Fact-Finding Mission

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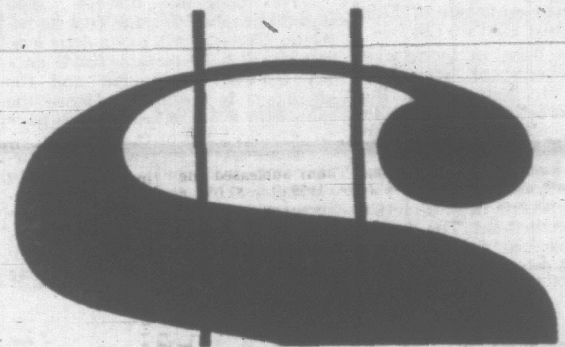
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Democracy at Work?

THE MANAGERS OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY in Victoria have made sure that Mr. McPhillips will be re-nominated for the House of Commons. When a contender for the nomination appears in Mr. Gelling, a highly respected citizen well known for his public service, he is instantly excluded by a technicality.

As the constitution of the party is interpreted by the managers, Mr. Gelling announced his candidature a few days too late. Hence he cannot be nominated even if most of the local Conservative voters would prefer him to Mr. McPhillips. Yet we are assured by the managers that all this is not only constitutional but democratic.

For the recent Liberal convention here it can be said at least that no such technicalities were invoked to rig the nomination. General Foulkes, who undoubtedly would have been the best available candidate, was defeated in a fair contest

which he was allowed to enter though he had not long been a member of the Liberal Party. Regardless of the fine print in the party constitution no contender was barred.

In any case all these curious manoeuvres seem to assure the nomination of two candidates who do not adequately represent the sentiments of the ordinary voters in either party. Victoria should have done much better than this but perhaps it has no right to complain when so few of its citizens take any part in active politics or any interest between elections, in any party. The city probably gets, in Parliament, what it deserves.

In this unsatisfactory situation the ordinary voter is left with one simple question to answer: Does he wish the Diefenbaker government, as represented by its candidate, to remain in office? Or does he prefer the only possible alternative as represented by the Liberal candidate?

Home-Owners Pay More

WHEN THE PROVINCIAL government's formula forced 1962 assessments up in all Greater Victoria municipalities but the city itself, it became apparent that property owners would pay a higher school tax than last year unless the rate of taxation was reduced.

The reduction in the provincial rate for a basic levy is so small—15.10 this year against 15.50 mills last—that no appreciable relief is given the taxpayer and in the Greater Victoria School District, for which extras beyond the basic standard force the rate above the minimum—the taxes for school purposes will be collected on a rate of 17.92 this year against 1961's 17.91.

There has been an increase in provincial government grants, as promised by Mr. Bennett, but this does little more than offset the increase in school costs arising from natural growth.

What the individual home-owner will pay for schools in Greater Victoria will not be known until actual tax bills are mailed out. The dollars and cents collected from him for education will depend on the assessment on his house and lot, and while

most have increased, some isolated reductions have been made.

But one basic fact seems clear: Taxes will be collected on assessments that are generally higher and on rates that are substantially the same.

Even in the city, where the total assessment is down from 1961, the cut results largely from the devaluation of certain downtown property for which the demand is low. Because the assessment is down, the city's share of the total to finance schools in Greater Victoria is slightly lower, since shares are based on assessments.

This does not, however, spell automatic relief for the city home-owner. The city will pay a little less, but it will have to raise funds on a shrunken assessment and the shrinkage is downtown. Hence the man with a house and lot will have to take up some of that slack.

Some of the increase in the surrounding municipalities will be absorbed by owners of newly constructed homes and buildings. To what degree new construction takes the burden off the home-owner will not be known until the bills come through the mail.

A Great Credit to All

THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE concert of the Greater Victoria Schools Symphony Orchestra at Victoria High School last night were treated to a sample of the top-flight musical ability of one of the most promising youthful organizations to be developed here in many years.

These 60-odd young musicians had returned only a few days ago from Calgary, where they won top honors in the junior orchestra event of the music festival with an excellent score of 90 marks. Earlier, they

had won all the available local honors and led their class at the Northwest competitions in Bellingham.

The orchestra has won great credit for its members and their community, not only for excellent musicianship but also for smart stage appearance and admirable behavior at all times. And the person chiefly responsible for all this is Mrs. Dorothy Evans, teacher, conductor and adviser, whose outstanding ability and devotion to the work has produced something of which Greater Victoria may truly be proud.

The Mills of the West Grind . . .

THE FINANCIAL TIMES OF London reports that the Hong Kong Cotton Spinners' Association—representing the spinning and weaving industry in the British colony—is cutting its production capacity by one-third.

The action results, says the Financial Times, from pressure applied by the United States against imports from Hong Kong.

As a consequence, one-third of the work force will be laid off in the Hong Kong industry—laid off to join the teeming refugees who and count subsistence almost a banquet.

And how does Canada, self-proclaimed friend of small Commonwealth nations, react to this misfortune to Hong Kong? Canada has asked the colony to impose restrictions on certain textiles which compete with the highly protected Canadian products.

Canada takes this course in spite of the fact that it sold \$22.5 million dollars' worth of goods to Hong Kong, bought from it only \$15.5 in 1960 and showed an even more one-sided trade balance for the first nine months of 1961.

While the West Grind politically, and they grind Hong Kong exceeding fine.

In Altered Plumage

LONDON'S TAILOR AND CUTTER, a publication which speaks with some authority on the propriety of men's attire, has given Mr. Averell Harriman unusual, if indirect support, for dress reform.

Mr. Harriman turned up at a formal White House "do" the other evening in tails but wearing a soft shirt and soft, turned-down collar. The editor of Tailor and Cutter justified this break with custom on the grounds that bowed shirts and collars are on their way out, along with tails.

The authority adds that tails, after all, are merely modified sports jackets of the year 1800 with the front cut away to give the horseman knee-room when the feet were high in the stirrups, and the braid down the trousers-legs used only

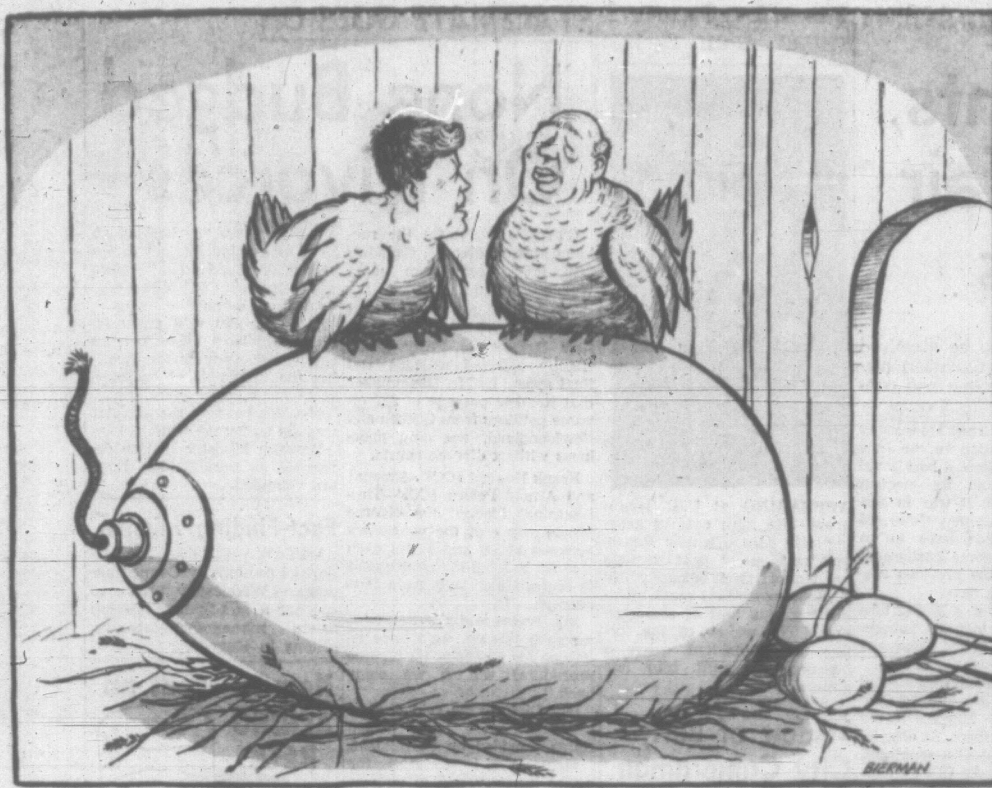
to hide buttons done up to keep the equestrian warm while riding.

Clothes 160 years ago, it appears, were tailored to meet the form of transportation employed by the gentleman.

So, too, half a century ago, when the gentleman, riding his merry Oldsmobile, wore a long white duster.

Somewhat or other, though, the trend languished during the days of the Model T. Nobody was socially acceptable at formal affairs in a greasy suit of overalls.

But change is under way again, though not tied to clothes for travelling. Give us a few more Perry Comos and another Bing Crosby or two and the sweater will replace the jacket and perhaps the sweat-shirt will come into its own. Man, that'll be comfort.



" . . . Sometimes I get a feeling this one could be bigger than both of us . . . "

FROM WASHINGTON

Why We Irk and Sadden the United States

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

AS AN extra dividend on his revolution Dr. Castro has managed to provide the only significant friction between Canada and the United States.

Canada's equivocal, lukewarm attitude toward tariff reductions is regretted in the American government but not seriously resented among politicians who understand that nothing is likely to be clear at Ottawa pending a national election. The Canadian government's incomprehensible nuclear defence policy is also attributed to this political uncertainty. The sale of Canadian wheat to Communist China causes little objection here, and, indeed, some powerful American interests are urging their government to do the same thing.

But Cuba is quite a different matter. Canada's growing exports to the Castro government touch the raw nerves of the American government and people after the humiliating fiasco of the Cuban invasion.

These exports are generally exaggerated in the American press whose readers might suppose that Canada was doing a massive business with Cuba. The Kennedy government knows, of course, the exact figures and sees that they are still extremely small but that is not the point.

What worries the government is not the present volume of this trade but the fact that it has tripled in the last year or so and, far more important, that the Canadian government seems to rejoice in it as a considered affront to the United States. The spirit much more than the content of our Cuban policy irritates our neighbors.

No Pressure

It can be said with certain knowledge, however, that the Kennedy government has applied absolutely no pressure on Ottawa. It does not ask Canada to adopt the American policy of embargo on Cuban trade and non-intercourse with the Castro government if Canada really considers this unwise. It expects Canada to make its own policy in the light of its own interests, but it is strongly doubted in Washington that Canada yet understands those interests. To understand them, Canada must understand what the United States is

trying to do in Cuba. It has abandoned all thought of military action. It would certainly fight with overwhelming power if its naval base in Cuba were attacked but otherwise force is ruled out.

Cuba, even with its Russian weapons, is not regarded as a military threat to the United States. The American policy is simply designed to isolate Cuba from the Western Hemisphere and, so far as possible, from the free world, though it cannot be isolated, short of war, from the Communist world.

Whether the partial isolation already imposed will finally force the collapse of the Communist Cuban government in an economic debacle is not clear yet but that is not the first American priority in any case. The first priority is to prevent Cuba from operating as a base of Communist infection throughout Latin America.

In Ottawa Cuban Communism may appear to be a minor source of infection, hardly worth worrying about. In Washington, now facing several specific revolutions and a general social revolution certain to change the whole face of Latin America before it is finished, Cuba seems to present dangers out of all proportion to its size and power.

Social Tinder

For Cuba is the first Communist beach-head in the hemisphere, an almost incredible satellite of Russia and China a few miles from the shores of the United States. It is a spark close to the social tinder of a Latin America whose future is incalculable and whose importance, Americans think, is quite unknown to most Canadians.

Whether the Latin American policies of the United States are sound or unsound history alone will show, but it is clearly right in concluding that for Canada the whole hemisphere south of the Rio Grande has always been and still remains a blind spot.

In American eyes Canada cannot see the danger of a Communist Cuba because it has not yet recognized the immense potentialities of Latin America as a whole, for good or bad—its vast natural wealth, its economic growth, its future markets, its population which will soon exceed that of North America, its vigorous culture and its essential place in the free world.

If the social revolution of Latin America should go the wrong way the

whole strategy of the hemisphere—economic, political and military—would be disrupted and Canada, as part of the hemisphere, could not escape the consequences.

Thus, in American judgment, Canada has a vital stake in those hemispheric dangers of which Cuba is the immediate, the most obvious but by no means the only symptom. Yet from Washington's viewpoint Canada has hardly begun to grasp either the interests of the hemisphere or its own, and hence does not understand the Cuban problem.

Whether he agrees with American policy toward Cuba or not, no Canadian can deny this charge of ignorance and remoteness. Even Dr. Castro has not cured Canada's hemispheric blind spot.

That is well understood in Washington where a true awareness of Latin America has dawned very late. What irks and saddens the United States is not so much Canada's complacency but its evident antagonism to American policy.

Closest Friend

The American people's closest foreign friend is absent from the hemispheric council table, she relies solely on American judgment on the defence of the hemisphere from the Communist enemy. That attitude of isolation, even of superiority, deeply hurts our neighbors.

They do not expect any Canadian government to follow blindly an American policy but they doubt that Canada has in fact devised a real policy of its own. They suspect, not without good reason, that Canada's ambiguous stand in Latin America generally and in Cuba particularly is based less on the facts than on the pre-election manoeuvres of domestic politics.

The Canadian government, as seen from Washington, is tempted to beat its breast, declare its bold independence from American pressure and furtively use a latent anti-Americanism as a political weapon—an old, familiar weapon in our politics, often a successful weapon but in these times extremely dangerous. For the last thing that North America can afford is even the resemblance of a quarrel as it confronts the current upheaval of Latin America.

Such are the candid feelings of Washington as distinguished from the polite language of diplomacy and, as another dispatch will indicate, they lead to a definite conclusion concerning Canada's future position in the hemisphere.

In the Opinion of Our Correspondents

Dirty Victoria

For the first time in years I was in the city on Saturday afternoon and was horrified to see the filth and papers on the streets. It flew right up in one's face and was most disgusting.

Why cannot Victoria be clean as other cities are? It is the dirtiest place I have seen. Is there no street cleaning department? I have seen no sign of one.

Fifty years ago, or more, if we happened to be in town in Vancouver in the late evening, we always used to see what we called the "watering cart." The streets were washed every night. I've never seen one here.

One afternoon, a few years ago, I noticed on the rubbish tins the words, "This is your city. Keep it clean." or words to that effect. I wanted on past the City Hall and saw more papers, cigarette boxes, etc., matches and rubbish on the steps of the City Hall itself than anywhere else. Too many shop people sweep their rubbish into the streets and leave it to the wind to do the rest.

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Making the Visit Pleasant

On a weekend visit to Everett, Wash., we had our car parked at a meter and we neglected to feed the meter. So when I got back to the car I found, as I thought, a ticket. But instead there was a tag in shape of a "Key to the City" welcoming us to the city.

It said we are happy to have you as a visitor. And the key invited us to park free for the day excepting near a hydrant, on a painted curb or drive-ways. And it stated that it was the purpose of the city and Chamber of Commerce to make our visit a pleasant one.

We also were invited to visit the clubs and fraternal organizations, etc. I also noticed that a lot of the stores accepted Canadian money at par in Everett and Bellingham. I think if the

Victoria merchants and businessmen left the prices on their goods instead of hiding them and also showed the people visiting a smile and thank you and donated towards a tourist visit the city would benefit.

DISGUSTED.

Common Ownership

NDP leader T. C. Douglas is doing the right thing to expose the Chamber of Commerce "freedom" drive by indicating the minority ownership and control of industry in Canada.

However, he has never adequately shown how state control can change

this. Neither can he show us an example of it anywhere.

The nature of capital is to expand into ever bigger units or blocks, whether state controlled or private.

Aside from what the Russian Chamber of Commerce may think about freedom of the laws of capital accumulation function as, inexorably, there as anywhere else.

To put control into the hands of all the people, and full rights for all minorities, the Socialist Party of Canada solution must be applied—common ownership everywhere.

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From

Our Files

April 19, 1902—This city will be represented on the Canadian team at Bisleigh this year by Company Sergeant-Majors E. McDougall and Fred Richardson.

April 19, 1922—Dr. Adam Shortt, the economist, arrived in Victoria to take on the task of untangling the city's finances.

April 19, 1942—Opening of the Malahat has been postponed and it will now probably be the middle of May before any through-traffic is resumed on the highway. It was announced today.

Mountain Watchers

By PATRICK O'DONOVAN
From Tizi-Ouzou, Algeria

OF course it was the name that did it. A town called Tizi-Ouzou is as irresistible as Timbuctoo or Samarkand. In fact it is the capital of a department of Algeria that goes under the splendid name of La Grande Kabylie.

It is as good a place as any to watch the sun setting on the last and greatest of the French overseas territories. For Algeria was a jewel in an imperial crown and it was the most precious in the most precious of all the French had.

Tizi-Ouzou is small and sits at the end of a vast valley surrounded by steep mountains that are peppered with villages, right to their tops. It is the sort of landscape for a Crusader castle or a Byzantine monastery, for this is the Mediterranean at its fiercest and grandest.

It is green now in a spring of rare richness. It looks like some traveller's ideal of the happy valley; in fact it is desperately poor and waiting, with passive hunger, for change.

The town is provincial French. Neat, fussy, like an overcrowded front parlor. The town hall is a small, cake-thick, covered with king-sugar, and calls for a knife to cut it for distribution among the hungry. But even now, at the end of their reign, the French have begun building with an imperial generosity—perhaps out of habit, perhaps of a too-long deferred desire to satisfy their people.

Huge blocks of bare modern apartments are being thrown up like castles on the ridges round the town. They are stripped of all but essentials. They are cheap, and they are crowded as soon as they are finished with those who can afford to pay the equivalent of a few pounds a month in rent.

They are towers of noise, and all day they pour out the screeching of women and children, and the poorest of these places stand up to their ankles in refuse. The transition from mountain village to this is an abrupt one.

Physical Mark

But the French always built well in their colonies. They leave behind a heavier physical mark than any other imperial power. And, in the new flats and in the schools, there is something else that accounts for much of the respect, even affection, for the idea of France that remains in such places, even after a dictatorial rule and a bloody partition.

There is no segregation. The best jobs in the civil service, the wealth, and the best of the land may go to the French, but in their daily commerce there is no thought of excluding a man because he is of a different color or a strange religion. There is an instinctive generosity of spirit here in the French officials, if not in the French settlers, beneath the selfishness, that few other colonial powers have shown.

Even though the Kabylie has been the scene of some of the most ferocious fighting between the Army and the FLN, at least in the towns the French are still apparently at home.

The prefect of the department has his feet in Tizi-Ouzou; he is appointed from Paris, a calm civil servant who will go home in a few months. There is peace of a sort in his department, though in the past it has been the most turbulent of them all.

There are none of the "attentats" that disfigure the days in Algiers and Oran. The cease-fire is working here in its own curious, compromising, slightly humiliating manner.

The FLN are no longer apparent. The French Army appears in safe control—as if it had won. But some roads are still permanently closed. Large areas in the mountains are still never entered. The political prisoners and most of the "prisoners of war" are free and have disappeared back among the people.

The FLN still have their arms and organizations. Their officials can call quietly on French officials and their advice is heard with respect. But they appear out of nowhere and return to it when they are done. For this is an interim period and it is working because both sides want it to work.

Conquest of Poverty

The conquest of the poverty of the region will be left to the new rulers. No drastic land reform program can cure it. There are no precious minerals here and few skilled hands. Here old men do not develop paunches or heavy jaws. The people have had to become great travellers, go to work in France, even in America and Britain, and the money they send home is as important as the olive crop.

I met one old man who had come home to die. He spoke fluent English. He was sitting in the sun under a wall of the mosque, with a dozen others, dressed in a turban and a long, white, hooded cloak, with sandals on his feet and a staff in his hand.

He had been in London at the time of the death of Edward VII and he had worked in a restaurant in Washington, off Massachusetts Avenue. He had not made a fortune, but here he was a respected elder and he asked very little of life.

They are lined by idle men, sitting all day in the dust, as if they were waiting for a procession. The soldiers, in their aggressively practical French uniforms, wander like soldiers everywhere, looking at the tawdry shops and drinking in the bars that come straight from Toulon or Marseille. They are no longer an occupying force, but tolerated visitors, here under a treaty that must soon run out.

It seems all very peaceful. But the mountains are still watching and there are still thousands of expectant men in the mountains. I did not envy the prefect or his people. This valley has a long way to go before it can be called happy.

(London Observer Service)

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for READING
DANGEROUS GAP

A high standard of living should be matched by a high standard of feeling and thinking, and the gap between material and moral growth is still far too wide for comfort. Until money and responsibility go hand in hand, affluence and licence will.

—American writer, Marya Mannes



Gerald Waring

REPORTING

OTTAWA — "To win the election," a Grit MP said the other day, "we've got to take 20 seats in the Atlantic provinces, 20 in the West, 60 in Quebec and 40 in Ontario."

Nobody knows better than the Grits themselves how tall this order is. It means they have to hold every seat they have now, and pick up 12 in the Atlantic area, 18 in the West, 35 in Quebec and 24 in Ontario.

However, they are not going to hold every seat they have now. They threw one away Friday night when Mrs. Tibble Hardie turned up at the Liberal convention at Yellowknife with enough proxy delegates' votes to win the nomination. Liberal politicians there had to stand helplessly by with the almost certain knowledge that she will lose her late husband's Northwest Territories seat to the Tories.

As to whether the Grits will win enough seats to form even a minority government—they have to fight it out with Tories still strong in the Maritimes, Ontario and the prairies, against a Social Credit comeback effort in the far west, and against the New Democrats in the prairies, British Columbia and industrial Ontario. While the Tories will lose seats to the minor parties, every disaffected vote the latter take from the Tories will be one less anti-government vote to put the Grits in power.

In light of these cold statistical facts the Liberals might well be doing some glooming and dooming on their own account. They are not. Liberal Leader Pearson, aided by a few doughty campaigner and a handful of brain trusters and organization-people, has succeeded in persuading his party that it has a good chance of winning. The Grits need this confidence to give them the necessary will to fight and maybe win.

Their bible is Theodore White's "The Making of a President, 1960"—the story of the Kennedy campaign. Their strategy is carefully planned—it has to be, if for no other reason than the need to get the greatest political mileage out of every dollar spent. At this moment they just do not know where the millions they need for their campaign are going to come from.

For example, it is my opinion that Pearson's best chance of improving his mediocre public image is to whistle-stop across the country by train as Harry Truman did in 1948. He should leave the TV appearances to other Liberal top liners who excel in this medium, and concentrate on meeting the people face-to-face.

But this would require a special train, an election special, and the Liberals haven't enough money to pay for one.

Part of the Tory strategy evolved by national organizer Alister Grosart seems to have been to starve the Grits by prevailing on businessmen to put all their campaign contributions in Grosart's basket and by keeping the country in a state of election jitters for many months in the hope that the Grits would launch their campaign prematurely and run out of money well before polling day.

The Liberals seem to have withstood the temptation. But unless business begins to smell a Liberal victory, or at least a parliamentary stalemate that might be resolved for the Grits in a second election, the Liberals appear condemned to a shoestring campaign. But even that could catch fire, if Mike Pearson whistle-stops his way into the affection of the people.

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UNSCHEDULED

City Grit Candidate Opens Up

Victoria Liberal candidate Foster Isherwood made an unscheduled appearance Wednesday night at an Oak Bay party meeting to launch his federal campaign.

The young Hope lawyer made the first public speech of the June 18 election campaign to about 20 persons at a provincial constituency meeting.

He disclosed that one of his main campaign planks will be for a universal old age pension for everyone over 65.

WORK DONE FOR HIM

He also took a political poke at the two present local MPs—both Conservative—George Chatterton of Esquimalt-Saanich and A. deB. McPhillips, his likely adversary in Victoria.

He maintained that Mr. McPhillips wasn't doing anything for Victoria—that Mr. Chatterton was doing the work for him.

"His speeches don't even fill seven pages of Hansard," said Mr. Isherwood. "He seems to be for nothing but against the coast guard—which in my opinion is the one good thing that the Conservative government has done."

"The ex-reeve of Saanich tells about Prime Minister Diefenbaker coming and not coming to Victoria. Apparently Mr. Chatterton speaks for Victoria. I thought the member should speak."

PENSION BOOST HIT

Mr. Isherwood also attacked the prime minister for his Senate reform proposals—which, he said, are aimed only at forming a Senate "to his color."

He said federal increases in pensions were "ridiculous" and called for a proper universal pension for all over 65.

At present the old age assistance pension of \$65 a month is for those over 70. Mr. Isherwood promised he would work for fuller coverage, although it might mean "a little stiffer" qualifications for eligibility.

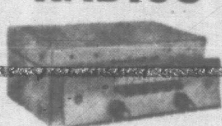
He suggested a 30-year citizenship in Canada.

Mr. Isherwood said he planned to devote his full time to politics if elected, and would give up his Hope law practice for a career in Parliament.

He and Esquimalt-Saanich Liberal David Groos will attend a campaign rally next Tuesday night at Liberal headquarters, 1322A Government St.

Mr. Groos also plans a public meeting at Shawnigan Lake Wednesday.

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WOULDN'T DARE CALL ELECTION

'Surprise of Life' for Bennett

Premier Bennett wouldn't dare to call a provincial election immediately because he would get "the surprise of his life" Oak Bay Liberal M.L.A. Alan Macfarlane said Wednesday night.

"If he calls an election it will solve nothing except the result I predicted and that would be the greatest thing in B.C. in many a year," Mr. Macfarlane told 20 constituents who heard him report on this year's session of the legislature.

Mr. Macfarlane said he now expects B.C. and Ottawa to come to terms on a Columbia River power development agreement.

It would mean "a substantial modification" on B.C.'s part "although I don't think Premier Bennett will ever admit it."

PLANS FOR SESSION

Mr. Macfarlane called for a reorganization of the legislature's program with more planning in advance on the part of the government to avoid late-night sittings and last-minute debates to push through new laws.

"What's shocking is that we go to the legislature to pass laws and it wasn't until six weeks passed by that the first statute passed."

"Some most important acts were dealt with in the dying days of the session when members were extremely tired."

"This sort of thing has been going on many years under many governments, but I think it's getting worse."

"It is high time the government planned the session so that legislation is brought in early and fully considered and discussed by members."

CURFEW SUGGESTED

There had been many night sittings this year.

"None of us is worth much in those late hours and we can't be expected to think clearly and act properly in the people's business."

"There should be a curfew," he said.

Mr. Macfarlane reiterated his arguments against the new power legislation brought in this year by Premier Bennett prohibiting court actions against the B.C. Electric take-over terms.

"It is something I didn't ever think could happen in B.C."

The legislation was a disgrace to the "Sacred MLAs and a shame for the people who voted for them," he said.

Inability of the Opposition to prevent it "felt to me like

you were being beaten back by a big stick," he said.

"The government knows nothing but its own power and takes action with but one thing in mind—to perpetuate that power."

"If it can pass acts like this then it can do anything it wants without question from anyone. So long as it convinces people to elect it, it can do anything it wants."

Mr. Macfarlane said the government spent only \$5,000,000 on reducing light bills when it

had saved \$25,000,000 in taxes and profits plus a \$40,000,000 tax reserve fund.

"Anyone who thinks twice knows where the money's going—it's going to pay for the premier's dream, development of the Peace River."

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Repudiation of Columbia Treaty By Tories Predicted by Herridge

OTTAWA (CP)—H. W. Herridge, House leader of the CCF-New Democratic Party, predicted Wednesday that the federal government will repudiate the Columbia River Treaty with the United States before the June 18 federal election.

"I have it on good information that the government will ask for a renegotiation of the treaty before the election," he said in an interview on his formal retirement as the socialist group's House leader.

Mr. Herridge said Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, retired Canadian chairman of the International Joint Commission and a severe critic of the present treaty, has accepted "a very large number" of speaking engagements in British Columbia over the next two months.

Mr. Herridge, MP for Kootenay West, has been a consistent critic of the Columbia Treaty. His riding includes the site of one of the proposed

'We May Work It Out'

VANCOUVER (CP)—External Affairs Minister Green said it "may be possible to work something out" by way of federal-provincial agreement on the giant Columbia River project between now and the general election June 18.

But nothing could be done about ratification of the treaty with the United States until a new Parliament was convened, the minister said. Told of reports B.C.'s Premier Bennett might call a provincial election if there was no federal action Mr. Green gave a non-committal wave of his hand and said: "I can't help that. We're running the government of Canada, not British Columbia."

dams which would flood out some 3,000 persons, including some of the Herridge property.

He said he believes Gen. McNaughton's views about the treaty, which the retiring chairman made public April 6, have convinced the government that the present treaty arrangement cannot stand.

Mr. Herridge said that under Gen. McNaughton's plan for diverting Kootenay River waters into the Columbia, Canada would generate great amounts of power on its own and get half of the American power besides.

"I can tell you right now that the government is not prepared to go for the plan which Gen. McNaughton says the Americans forced upon us," he added.

"This is the hottest election issue in British Columbia and the government knows it can't win a seat there with the present treaty intact."

HOME GARDEN

By JACK BEASTALL

Annuals in 3 Separate Groups

There are a large number of flowering plants which are grouped together under the blanket heading of annuals, and it is not fully appreciated that these are subdivided into three groups, namely hardy, half-hardy and tender.

The hardy annuals are the ones which interest the gardener at this time of year, for these may be sown outdoors

as soon as the soil is in workable condition.

They require a fine tilth about two inches deep in which to sow the seeds, and while the next eight to 10 inches of depth need not be so fine, it should be well prepared and not in large lumps.

The hardy annuals are usually sown directly in the beds or borders where they are to flower. Since they are seldom transplanted to other locations it is best to sow the seed as thinly as possible to avoid excessive thinning out.

To give a good account of themselves each plant must

have room to grow, which means thinning to one plant every four to six inches according to the kind being grown.

Seeding is best done in irregular drifts, the area for each kind being marked on the soil before the seed is broadcast. A very light sprinkle of soil over the seed and firming of seed and soil with a smooth piece of wood are important to success.

The hardy annuals to sow now include alyssum, clarkia, calliopsis, godetia, poppies, mignonette, nigella, larkspur, and the annual chrysanthemums.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1962 — 474.5 hrs.
Last year — 384.4 hrs.
Normal (30 yrs.) — 430.9 hrs.
Precip. to date — 7.51 ins.
Last year — 15.20 ins.
Normal (30 yrs.) — 10.61 ins.

SYNOPSIS — A surge of moist air from the Pacific pushed inland during the early morning hours bringing cloud cover and a few light showers to coastal points and increasing amounts of cloud to the southern interior. A severe disturbance from the Gulf of Alaska is expected to affect the northern coast overnight and spread more cloud and

showers to the southern coast Friday.

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9 A.M. FORECASTS

Valid until midnight Friday

Victoria: A few clouds overnight and Friday morning. Cloudy with occasional showers in the afternoon or evening. Cooler. Winds light becoming southwesterly 20 during the afternoon, decreasing to light again overnight. Low tonight and high Friday 44 and 60.

West Coast: Cloudy Friday. Frequent showers. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 20 Friday. Low to night and high Friday at Estevan Point, 45 and 52.

Vancouver - Georgia Strait: Mostly cloudy Friday. A few showers in the afternoon or evening. Cooler. Winds light except occasionally southeast 20 gusty in Georgia Strait. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver and Nanaimo, 42 and 60.

TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY

Min. Max. Prep.
Victoria 48 65 Nil
Normal 43 56

ONE YEAR AGO

Victoria 36 50 Trace
ACROSS THE CONTINENT
St. John's 27 34 .07
Halifax 31 44 .44
Montreal 33 51 .01
Ottawa 29 51 .01
Toronto 29 47 .01
Port Arthur 29 55 .01
Winnipeg 26 44 .01
Regina 36 44 .01
Saskatoon 41 61 .01

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Prince George 27 47 .02

Fort St. John 35 51 .02

Whitehorse 29 41 .01

Seattle 50 77 .01

Chicago 36 67 1.66

San Francisco 51 66 .01

Los Angeles 56 69 .01

New York 45 53 .01

World temperatures (based on observations taken at midnight PST): London 39, Paris 43, Berlin 55, Stockholm 39, Madrid 48, Mexico City 52, Havana 68, Tokyo 61.

U.S. weather (highest temperatures for Wednesday): Anchorage 47, Las Vegas 96, Phoenix 100, Washington 61, Honolulu 74.

Sunrise, Sunset Friday
Sunrise .5:14 Sunset .19:12

Sunrise, Sunset Saturday
Sunrise .5:12 Sunset .19:14

TIDES AT VICTORIA (Pacific Standard Time)

(Time H.L. Time H.L. Time H.L. Time H.L.)

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23 03:38 7:11:25 3:45:22 6:56:58 7.2

TIDES AT FULLMOON HARBOR (Pacific Standard Time)

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Idaho Man Nominated

Official registrations of delegates to the 22nd annual convention of the Northwest Public Power Association in Victoria this week reached a total of 360, making it the largest gathering in the history of the organization.

Delegates approved the nomination of new officers who will take office next September.

Named president-elect was Ed Schlender, manager of the Raft River Electric Co-Op of Malta, Idaho. He succeeds Dan Jolly, commissioner of the Franklin County, Wash., public utility district.

Alan Jones, superintendent of the water and electric board of McMinville, Ore., was named vice-president-elect.

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Four Directors Ousted In Mac-Powell Upheaval

VANCOUVER (CP) — Four directors were removed from the board of MacMillan, Bloedel and Powell River Ltd. at its annual meeting Wednesday at the demand of chairman J. V. Clyne.

Mr. Clyne said the four, representing the Brooks-Scanlon-Foley family interests and all directors of the Powell River Company prior to its merger with MacMillan, Bloedel, had sought to interest a select group of directors in delivering control of the company into the hands of a giant United States competitor, the St. Regis Paper Corp.

In reply Conley Brooks, grandson of one of the founders of the old Powell River Co. charged that the dismissal of the directors had to do with the elimination "of some of the final remnants of the former Powell River Co."

Wednesday's action was another in a series of corporate upheavals which have followed the merger in 1960.

Dropped from the board were: Conley Brooks, director of MB and PR since the merger and grandson of Dr. D. F. Brooks, who helped found Powell in 1911;

J. S. Sample, grandson of another Powell founder, M. J. Scanlon;

G. W. O'Brien, son of Joseph Manning O'Brien, a former managing director of Brooks, Scanlon, O'Brien Co. Ltd. of Vancouver;

Maj. Gen. H. F. G. Letson, whose father-in-law, Norman Laing, was on the original board of directors of Powell River and managing director of the company from 1911 until his death in 1926.

RETIREES

The move leaves on the MB & PR board only one member of the Brooks family, Anson Brooks, son of founder Anson Brooks. Mr. Clyne announced at the annual meeting the retirement from the board of W. S. Brooks, grandson of Dr. D. F. Brooks.

Mr. Clyne's demand was supported by 83 per cent of the shareholders present either in person or represented by proxy.

The dismissals followed a routine amendment introduced by Mr. Clyne to reduce MB & PR's board to 22 from 27 in number.

Mr. Clyne said Mr. Conley Brooks had recently approached him with advice that a firm offer had been made by St. Regis for the purchase of 5,000,000 shares of MB & PR stock at a price equivalent to \$115,000,000 in Canadian currency.

He said the price of \$22 in U.S. currency was at least \$3 per share above the market in terms of Canadian money and was not available to the general shareholders but only to a select group.

Mr. Clyne said that Mr. Brooks said that the Brooks-Scanlon Foley group were prepared to sell up to 2,500,000 shares. Mr. Brooks said Mr. Clyne proposed to ask H. R. MacMillan, Prentice Bloedel and W. J. VanDusen—all members of the former MacMillan and Bloedel board—to make up

the remaining 2,500,000 shares required by St. Regis.

Mr. Clyne said that MacMillan, VanDusen and Bloedel had advised him in "the most definite and unambiguous terms" that they would not sell any of their shares or participate in the transaction.

"I pointed out to Mr. Brooks that the result of the transaction would be that St. Regis, with 5,000,000 shares in one block, would secure effective control of this company," said Mr. Clyne.

Mr. Clyne said that there is nothing to prevent a shareholder disposing of his shares but he added:

"It appears to me that a shareholder who has evinced an interest in selling out to a competitor, or has sought to interest a select group of

directors in delivering control of the company to a competitor at a price which was not available to the ordinary shareholders, should not seek to represent the general body of ordinary shareholders on the board."

"It was therefore felt proper to reduce the number of directors and to refrain from nominating as a member of the board one who was prepared to enter into the proposed transaction with St. Regis."

Conley Brooks, addressing the tense meeting, said that the St. Regis proposition was "simply an offer to buy" which he in turn passed on to other members of the board.

"It is a shocking thing to me and to the other involved members to be charged in public with something that in our opinion has no real bearing on the fact."

"We are minor shareholders in the company and it would not be possible for us to sell out control."

Profits Show Increase

VANCOUVER (CP) — Net income of MacMillan Bloedel and Powell River Ltd. in the first quarter of the current fiscal year rose to \$8,722,722 from \$5,579,912 a year ago, chairman J. V. Clyne told the annual meeting Wednesday.

The 330 shareholders and visitors attending the annual meeting also heard Mr. Clyne announce a dividend of 15 per cent per share, together with an extra dividend of eight cents per share, payable on June 15 to holders of record May 16. This is the same as the dividend declared at the last annual meeting.

Mr. Clyne expressed satisfaction with the first quarter earnings of the company which, on a share basis, work out to 42 cents compared with 27 cents at the same time last year.

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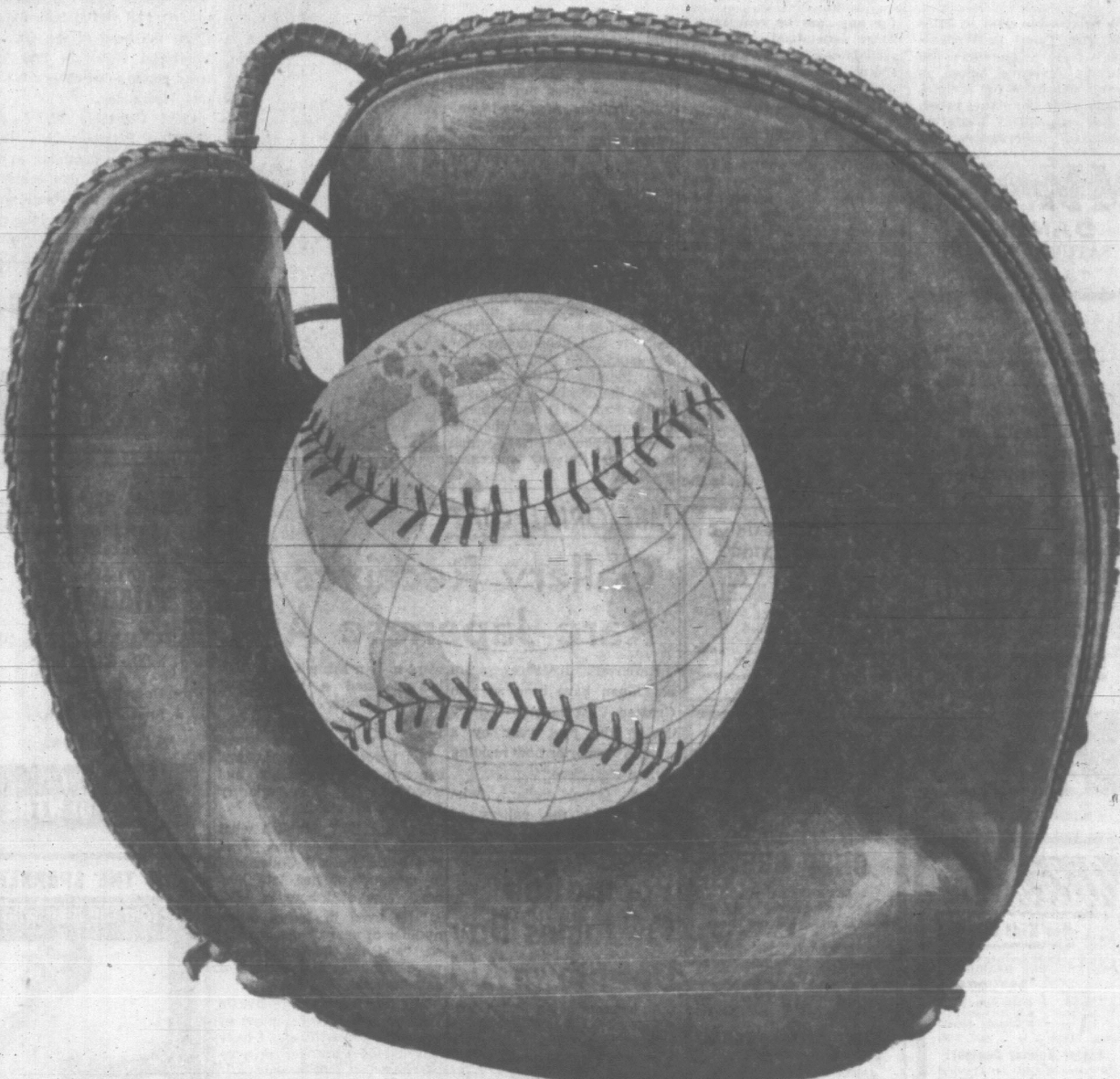
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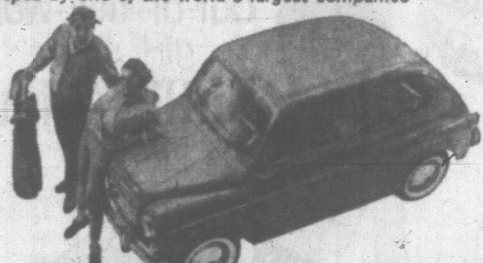
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A regrettable error in dates led The Times in Wednesday's issue to announce the concert reviewed below as being scheduled for tonight, a day after the actual event. For consequent inconvenience to concert-goers and

for any loss or embarrassment sustained by the schools orchestra and its sponsors The Times here-with offers its apologies.

By PETER MATHEW
Victoria's Schools Symphony Orchestra demonstrated to a thrilled Victoria audience Wednesday night the top notch orchestral form which drew raves from Calgary adjudicators last week, and the reputation as being one of the finest youth symphonies on the continent.

A complete, well-balanced program was presented by the orchestra including a Beethoven piano concerto, "Waltz" from Tchaikovsky's ballet "Swan Lake" and music from the film "Exodus." Climax of the program came with the orchestra's prizewinning performance of Rimsky-Korsakov's "Capriccio Espagnol." The concert was given in the

Victoria High School auditorium.

The entire evening was lit by a sparkle and life which these youngsters put into all their playing. Also the technical skill of all the sections is outstanding. Especially fine playing was demonstrated by concertmistress Veronica Milton; pianist, Phillip Adamson; Keith Donaldson, clarinet, and Lesley Fraser, flute.

Mrs. Dorothy Evans, conductor of the orchestra, gave a special thanks to the School Board for encouraging the orchestral program in the schools, and to the string teachers and bandmasters for developing the program. She also mentioned the support which the orchestra was given by the Provincial Government, the municipalities and the Victoria Symphony Society which made the Calgary successes possible.

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MEMORIAL GIFT

Gallery Receives Rare Japanese Art

Rare art treasures from old Japan have been sent to Greater Victoria Art Gallery during the past year by a woman supporter now residing in San Francisco.

Mrs. Isabel Pollard, who lived near the gallery at 1015 Gillespie Place before she

went to San Francisco in 1951, has donated a number of choice exhibits.

They include rare Japanese lacquer work, bronze sculptures, porcelain ornaments and contemporary paintings and wood-cuts by contemporary Japanese artists.

She plans to establish what will be known as the "Fred and Isabel Pollard Collection" in memory of her late husband, who died here in 1950.

"We lived in Japan for a number of years," she explained, "and my husband and I were enthusiastic collectors of Japanese art."

"In 1939 we came to live in Victoria and brought most of our collection with us. I have since added a number of items purchased in San Francisco."

Mrs. Pollard brought a carload of art works to Victoria Wednesday and presented them to Colin Graham, curator of the art gallery.

"We are indebted to Mrs. Pollard for many fine collectors' pieces," Mr. Graham said, "and also for a gift of \$700 in cash with which to purchase additions to our display."

Mrs. Pollard said she and her husband lived for many years in Yokohama, where Mr. Pollard was in business as a raw silk exporter.

Population Of James Bay Downtown Aid

An increase of population density in the James Bay area is helping to provide a "captive market" for Victoria's downtown area, the Victoria Real Estate Board was told Wednesday.

Anthony Roberts, Capital Region Planning Board director, said that "if there are new residents living in the James Bay area then they are obviously the people who will be shopping downtown."

The high-rise apartment concentration is a new form of accommodation to Victoria with a waiting reservoir of potential, he said.

How big that reservoir might be, Mr. Roberts declined to estimate. Somewhere a cut-off point would be reached.

Rate of construction, he believed, was some indication of demand "but I would not like to come to any conclusions at all."

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'Policeman Would Do Anything for Dollar'

TORONTO (CP) — Gambling boss Vincent Feeley had access to confidential information given the head of the Ontario Provincial Police in 1956, the royal commission on crime was told Wednesday.

Chief Constable W. Jack Shrubbs of Peterborough — then an OPP anti - gambling squad corporal — gave this evidence and also told the commission that Feeley informed him one inspector would "do anything

for a dollar" and a squad sergeant, since resigned, was "taking money from every gambler in the province."

The inspector referred to by Feeley was Allan Stringer, then and now head of OPP District 8 at Peterborough, who has been mentioned in previous testimony as having been suspected by some fellow officers as passing tipoffs to gamblers. Stringer has denied this.

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CHILDREN'S MOVIE GUIDE

April 20 to April 21

This table of classifications is prepared by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council and is based chiefly upon reviews in Parents' Magazine and the monthly bulletin of the British Film Institute. With the co-operation of Victoria theatre managers, it covers current films.

TITLE	CHILDREN (5-12 Years)	YOUTH (13-15 Years)
Ben Hur	Excellent	Excellent
Deep Waters of the Apocalypse	No	Excellent
French Mistress	No	Good
Little White Lies	Good	Good
Man of Straw	Excellent	Excellent
North to Alaska	No	Sophisticated
One Two Three	No	Excellent
Poltergeist	Excellent	Excellent
Sad Horse	Excellent	Good
State Fair	Good	Entertaining
Story of Ruth	Mature	Excellent
Swing the Whore	Mature	Very good
Swing the Whore	No	Very mature

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\$5 MILLION HYDRO LOAN

B.C. Hydro was given cabinet authority Wednesday to borrow \$5,000,000 new money for acquisition of property and construction.

A cabinet order gave the power agency authority to raise the money through short-term notes payable by Dec. 31, 1963 and bearing a maximum interest rate of 6 per cent.

This is the second loan authorized under the \$500,000,000 borrowing power given B.C. Hydro when the legislature set it up in March.

Earlier the cabinet authorized it to raise \$60,848,007 as a final payment to former shareholders of B.C. Electric.

Hospital Job Complaints Cleared Up

Victoria Labor Council is happy once more with working conditions at Royal Jubilee Hospital expansion site.

The job has been a sore spot since it opened under Burns and Dutton Concrete and Construction Co. Ltd., general contractors, in January.

On complaint from Vancouver Island Building Trades Council, VLC twice undertook investigations and has come away for the second time saying "everything in order."

Delegates were given a report Wednesday night by John Driscoll, who headed a three-man investigation this week.

BIG TURNOVER

It was charged that 47 carpenters and some laborers had left the job in its first three months, some alleging undue pressure from the bosses. Some were laid off, some fired and others quit.

Mr. Driscoll said the job superintendent was interviewed and the whole project, together with past difficulties, was reviewed.

He said the trouble had cleared up as a result of publicity and investigation by building trades council and Victoria Labor Council. The company is "seeing the light" and the "trouble is being ironed out," he said.

Whooping Crane Dies

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A whooping crane died Wednesday at the age of 10 days, after undergoing an operation for a leg ailment.

Seven church ministers will speak at a three-hour service in First United Church Good Friday starting at 2 p.m. and continuing until 5 p.m.

Each will contribute to a theme on one of the Seven Words from the Cross. In order they will be Rev. A. A. Rattray, Rev. E. A. Hornby, Rev. G. R. Easter, Rev. W. A. Williams, Rev. S. Parsons, Rev. A. C. Hamill and Rev. Laura Butler.

Three separate choir groups will participate in the service. Singing for the first hour will be the choirs of Fairfield United and Emmanuel Baptist Churches; in the second hours, Metropolitan choir, and in the third, the choirs of Centennial and St. Aidan's United.

The congregation is invited to attend all or part of the service, but it is requested that those who come late or leave early should do so during the singing of hymns.

Choirs will enter and leave in processional style during the singing of hymns.

Many Victoria churches will hold Good Friday services in addition to the Easter Sunday services.

Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean will conduct a one-hour service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian, Friday, at 11 a.m.

The Centuria Guild of Garden City United Church will hold a special Easter and Good Friday service in the church at Norwood and Carey Roads starting at 7.30 p.m.

On Sunday the United Church Young People's Union will hold its annual Easter sunrise service at the top of Mount Tolmie beginning at 6 a.m.

B.C. Labor Speeds Backing for NDP

The B.C. labor movement has lost no time urging organization and support for the New Democratic Party in the federal general election called Tuesday.

On invitation from B.C. Federation of Labor secretary E. P. O'Neal, Victoria Labor Council Wednesday named political education chairman Fred Bevis to attend an organization conference in Vancouver May 12.

Three main subjects will be

dealt with at the conference: Labor's aims and objectives, led by Canadian Labor Congress vice-president Joe Morris;

Registration of voters, by John McNeven, of B.C. Federation;

Poll organization and getting out the vote, by John Harr, International House, University of British Columbia.

Sessions will be held at the IWA hall.

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THREE-MAN COUNCIL to plot the Social Credit Party's campaign for the June 18 national election will include Attorney-General Robert Bonner of B.C. His appointment was announced Wednesday by national Social leader Robert N. Thompson. Other council members are Alberta Provincial Secretary Allen R. Patrick and Laurent Legault of Quebec City.

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Census Hikes Municipality Grants

A new census has boosted British Columbia government grants to municipalities by \$1,680,329 this year.

The new grants in aid of local government, based on population, are listed in a cabinet order approved Wednesday.

The big overall increase—to a total of \$12,828,633—follows the 1961 federal census, which showed a population increase of almost 200,000 in 125 cities, districts, towns, and villages.

Saanich gets the biggest boost on Vancouver Island, with a

grant this year of \$437,008. Victoria gets \$478,116 this year, compared with \$475,796 in 1961.

The grants are based on this formula: \$16 per person for areas up to 3,500 population; an extra \$12 per person for populations over 3,500 up to 8,000; an extra \$8 for 8,000 to 50,000 and \$6.50 over 50,000.

Other Island grants, with last year's amounts in parenthesis: Alberni \$69,392 (\$61,364); Courtenay \$55,760 (\$48,400); Duncan \$58,712 (\$51,958); Nanaimo \$159,080 (\$147,640); Port Alberni \$142,384 (\$129,072); North Cowichan \$140,880 (\$128,984); Central Saanich \$119,328 (\$107,372); Oak Bay \$47,232 (\$39,632); Esquimalt Bay \$181,480 (\$164,856).

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Hal Malone LOOKS AT SPORTS

"This game has been cancelled on order from the league. What league and why?"

These words, inserted in an advertisement in Wednesday's Times, advised readers that the Esquimalt Tugmen-Nanaimo exhibition lacrosse game scheduled for tonight, was kaput. They provoked the curiosity, caused a bystander to wonder if the "gemutlichkeit" (milk of kindness) in local boxia circles hadn't turned a little sour.

The author of the prose, Esquimalt Sports Centre's Joseph Iannarelli, confirmed the conviction. Gemutlichkeit b- darned—Mr. Iannarelli was all shook up like cottage cheese.

A little research showed why.

Last week Joseph and the Esquimalt and District Minor Lacrosse Association chewed crumpets, inhaled tea and mulled over means to bolster the latter's bank account.

Ultimately they decided on an exhibition game between the Senior B Esquimalt Tugmen and Nanaimo of the Intercity League.

The teams were willing.

So was Thomas Gordon, the Intercity League baron. With all clearances in, Iannarelli hastily advertised the contest.

Shafting Season In Full Bloom?

Early Wednesday, as he perused the morning blat, he came across an item which caused the tips of his moustache to twitch nervously. The game—his game—he read, had been gassed "on orders from the league."

Several hours and three dozen tranquilizers later he was still seething and muttering things like "Egad! Migosh! By Jove!" (This is a loose translation as the children may not yet be in bed.)

Since no reason was given for the "league's" decision, Mr. Iannarelli had the impression that the shafting season was in full bloom.

Mr. Gordon being unavailable for comment, George McWilliam, president of Victoria Shamrocks, was asked if he could throw any light on the turmoil.

He could and did.

"Gordon asked me if Victoria had any objection to the game before approving it," McWilliam said.

"I did have misgivings that it would be played only a week before we open. I know it isn't likely but suppose Esquimalt beat Nanaimo." There was a pause, broken only by the stepped-up beating of McWilliam's heart as he contemplated the financial consequences to Victoria if it's natural rival—Nanaimo—had succumbed to a Senior B team.

"But as the proceeds were going to help minor lacrosse in Esquimalt, I told Gordon I couldn't object," said McWilliam.

Biting the Paw That Feeds You

Hardly had McWilliam spoken to Gordon than certain Victoria officials expressed their disenchantment with the game. Their pique is puzzling.

Even if Esquimalt defeated Nanaimo, a possibility as unlikely as Elizabeth Taylor giving up men for Lent or for good, the earth wouldn't stop rotating.

Major league baseball teams annually play exhibition contests with teams on a lower social level and occasionally get clobbered.

The New York Yankees have lost to Richmond, Va., but they did not give up baseball for the monastery.

Furthermore, as all Victoria directors know, an agreement exists whereby Victoria gets first call on all players in the Esquimalt system. In effect, this gives Victoria a farm system without headaches or financial responsibility.

Aware of the dissension of his colleagues, McWilliam called Gordon "because I thought he should know."

"I told him," says McWilliam, "that I didn't want to put him in the embarrassing position of cancelling a game he had approved. I also reiterated my earlier statement that I wasn't against it since minor lacrosse would benefit."

"I guess," said McWilliam, "I am as much to blame for what happened (the cancellation) as Gordon."

Fallability—A Common Disease

The plot becomes a trifle thick here. Seemingly Gordon could leave things as they were. Or he could call the ball off, admitting he had made a snap and unwise judgment.

The latter move, obviously, would have labelled him as less than infallible, a fact most people are prepared to concede.

Gordon did neither. He asked every team in the league to vote on the matter. Depending on how you look at it this is an act of democracy or "passing the buck to save your skin." No specific results of the election were announced. The game was simply "verboden" on "orders from the league."

To compound the felony—from Esquimalt's point of view—the league's "order" did not come through the mails. It arrived second-hand as the tag-end of a newspaper story.

A clear case, as Joe Iannarelli might say, of qui s'excuse s'accuse... "he who excuses himself, accuses himself."

Rebounding Russell Sparks Celtics' Win

BOSTON (AP)—Boston Celtics captured an unprecedented fourth consecutive National Basketball Association championship Wednesday night, edging Los Angeles Lakers 110-107 on the heroics of Sam Jones and Bill Russell in an overtime battle.

Boston led most of the way in the game played before a sellout crowd of 13,900 in Boston Garden. But the Celtics had to beat down the tenacious Lakers in overtime.

Los Angeles' Elgin Baylor led all scorers with 41 points. Jerry West, who with Baylor sparked the Lakers' fourth period comeback, had 35.

Probably the greatest single contribution in the game was made by Russell, who in overtime scored 10 points.

With 40 seconds and tied the count 100-98, Russell scored 10 points in overtime to lead the Celtics to a 110-107 victory.

Frank Selvy made it 100-98 with 40 seconds and tied the count 100-98.

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TENNIS TIPS

By JOHN BASSETT
(Former Davis Cup player)

CHOOSING A RACQUET

It's only a poor workman who blames his tools—but good tools make it easier to do a good job.

The same is true in sports. It's easier to play with good skates, good golf clubs or better football shoes.

Tennis is the same. When picking out a racquet keep it in mind that the better one you get, the longer it will last and the more evenly balanced it will be.

The best racquets are made by Slazenger, Dunlop, Spalding and Wilson. Each company has various models—choose the one which feels right for you.

I would suggest a light racquet with 4 1/2 grip for youngsters, medium-weight 4 1/2 grip for ladies, medium 4 1/2 for teen-agers and the heavier models for the men.

Unless you plan to play top tennis it is usually advisable to have the racquet strung with one of the nylon brands. Nylon lasts longer than gut, and resists the weather better.



(CP Photo)

'SPEAK NO EVIL...'

Restraining glove over mouth of Edmonton goalie Harrison Gray got there too late. Referee Tony Schneider, one-time Victoria Cougar player, heard remarks that cost netminder misconduct during

western junior final with Brandon Wheat Kings. Greg Pilling is "husher" while Edmonton captain, Wayne Muloin, looks on. Oil Kings took 2-1 series lead Wednesday with a 4-3 overtime victory.

BASEBALL SCOREBOARD

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct	GBL
Pittsburgh	7	0	1.000	
St. Louis	5	0	1.000	
San Francisco	4	0	1.000	
Houston	4	0	1.000	
Los Angeles	4	0	1.000	
Philadelphia	3	0	1.000	
Cincinnati	4	0	1.000	
Milwaukee	3	0	1.000	
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Zoning Plan to Save Farms Covers Wide Saanich Area

Saanich is preparing temporary zoning regulations for large areas in the municipality to protect farm lands and residences from industrial and commercial encroachment.

Saanich Completing City Birthday Plans

Program for a birthday party which Saanich is throwing for the city May 8 and 9, is nearly completed, according to Coun. Joseph Casey, chairman of a special celebration committee.

Arrangements for the party have been underway since March when council authorized the two-day celebrations to mark Victoria's 100th birthday.

It is being held as a gesture of goodwill.

Mr. Casey said Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes has consented to attend the party to be held at Mattick's farm.

He will arrive there in a horse-drawn carriage with an escort of six outriders at 8.15

The zoning plan will be submitted by the planning department to the lands and planning committee next month for consideration.

The unzoned property, situated for the most part in the north and west of the municipality, represents the last remaining land areas without any form of zoning controls.

The total area takes up about one quarter of the municipality.

Municipal planner Tony Park said under the present setup "anyone can build anything in these unzoned areas."

"There is nothing to prevent a poultry processing plant or factory from going up in the centre of a residential area situated in an unzoned district," he said.

"As long as large areas remain unzoned, council hasn't the legal right to refuse a building permit to anyone."

He said council authorized the preparation of zoning measures when it saw the possibility of trouble breaking out in some unzoned districts.

Besides, he said, it was in the interest of the municipality to have its total area zoned to ensure orderly development.

"It is designed to protect farmers and residents until a more specific zoning bylaw for the area is completed," he said.

"Zoning regulations will be similar to those now in existence in the Wilkinson Road and Royal Oak districts."

Unionist Charged

DETROIT (AP) — George Roxburgh, business agent of the Detroit home local of Teamsters President James Hoffa was charged Tuesday with extorting more than \$2,500 from a trucking company.



SON of late Soviet dictator Joseph Stalin died a few days ago of a heart disease caused by "excessive drinking" according to informed sources.

They said Vassily Josefovitch Stalin, about 40, who commanded an air brigade during the Second World War, died in Kazan about 500 miles east of Moscow. The sources said he "went to pieces" after his father's death and began to drink heavily. For this reason he was demoted from his rank of major-general and later was jailed for four years when he killed a woman while driving his car when drunk.

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China Takes Another Bite of India

NEW DELHI (AP)—The Indian government disclosed Wednesday Communist China has established a new forward military outpost in the disputed area of Ladakh, pinching off about 12½ square miles from territory claimed by India.

India sent a letter of protest to the Peking government April 15.

A spokesman for Prime Minister Nehru, Mrs. Lakshmi Menon, said the Red Chinese had established the post six miles west of Sumdo in Ladakh. The Red Chinese already control approximately 14,000 square miles of Ladakh which the Indian government says is legally Indian.

The two countries dispute ownership of a total of 51,000 square miles along the Himalayan border between India and Tibet. The bitter dispute has been dragging on for years without any sign of solution.

The latest Indian protest referred to a note sent last Oct. 31 that said the Red Chinese had established three new checkpoints in Ladakh, pushing forward their line of control.

Now Indian troops in the area have discovered another new outpost, the latest note said.

The protest said the outpost constitutes "a flagrant breach of repeated assurances extended by the Chinese government regarding maintenance of the status quo in the area."

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TRAFFIC FINES

In city police court Wednesday:

Rasmus Rasmussen, 224 Cadillac, \$30 for careless driving.

James Dewar, 167 Little Elton, \$40 for careless driving.

Daniel James Badenock, 440 Bay, \$10 for no muffler.

Konrad Gudmunseth, 1611 Belcher, \$5 for violating driver's licence restriction and \$15 for passing red light.

Alban J. Marion, 1010 Linden, \$10 no chauffeur's licence.

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these quick freezer tricks add appeal to every meal

If you think a home freezer is just a means of cutting food costs — or saving shopping trips — or improving family nutrition, you're missing all the adventure of home freezing! Certainly it will help you do all these things, but the real magic of a home freezer is in the exciting ways you can use it to add variety while you save time in preparing every meal.

COOK DOUBLE: IT'S HALF THE TROUBLE! Next time you make a meat loaf, casserole, stew or chili pot — in fact, any savoury mixed dish — remember, it's almost as easy to make two. Serve one now and store the other in the freezer for future reference. And you'll always be prepared for busy days or unexpected guests with a delicious, ready-to-heat dinner. Think of the pot-and-pan washing you'll save, too.

EVER SEEN SQUARE GRavy — OR EGG CUBES? That last-minute gravy-making chore can set the whole meal off schedule — so why not freeze up a stock of ready-to-warm gravy cubes with your next roast? Just pour surplus gravy into ice cube trays, freeze and pack the cubes in freezer bags. Same trick works beautifully with heart-warming home-made soups and soup stocks: wonderful when the weather turns suddenly chilly! Even eggs can be frozen in cubes — at a big saving if you buy them at low, seasonal prices.

HOW TO BRIGHTEN BREAKFASTS — Start the morning right with nourishing, home-frozen fruits and juices — then follow up by warming pre-cooked frozen waffles in the toaster — or top off by warming home-baked frozen fruit muffins in the oven.

STOCKPILE SANDWICHES AND LUNCH BOX SPECIALTIES If sandwich lunches are in constant demand in your home, a freezer can be a real time-saver. Make a big variety of sandwiches once a week — wrap them up, label and freeze. You can do the same with special hostess sandwiches, too, and store them days or weeks before the party. And don't forget lunch desserts: freeze individually wrapped servings of freshly-baked or leftover cake, tarts or cookies, ready to pop into lunch boxes for a quick getaway in the morning.

FILL YOUR FREEZER WITH "HURRY-UP DINNERS" — Use leftover meat slices and vegetables arranged on freezer plates to make your own nutritious, ready-to-heat frozen TV dinners for evenings when you're in a rush. Then top the meal off with one of those delicious pies you baked in quantity when fruits and berries were selling at low, in-season prices.

Enjoy the fun of freezing—and if you need information, please feel free to call our Home Service Centre at any time for new freezer ideas. The number is EV 2-9261.

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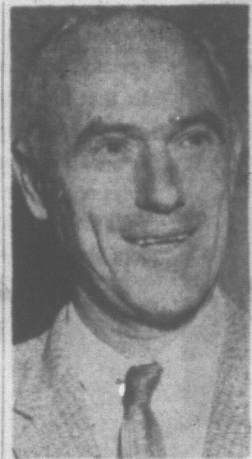
PACIFIC CROSS PILGRIMAGE started in Nanaimo Wednesday when men of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church carried 120-pound cross along Trans-Canada Highway to Ladysmith. Second stage will start at 8 tonight, when cross will be carried to Chemainus, arriving at about midnight. Marchers rest every 50 minutes for 10-minute break, and alternate positions. Pilgrimage will end at Victoria Easter Sunday morning. — (Agnes Flett Photo.)

1/2 Mill Drop In Tax Rate At Cowichan

NORTH COWICHAN—Budget of \$1,385,891, presented to the North Cowichan municipal council Wednesday, calls for a general tax rate of 7.5 mills, down 1/2 mill from 1961.

School tax rates will vary, since the municipality includes portions of Cowichan School District 65 and Ladysmith School District 67.

The tax in district 65 will be increased by 1.5 mills to a new rate of 20.5 mills. In district 67, inclusion of the Georgia Generating Station of the B.C. Hydro Authority on the school assessment rolls permits a reduction in the rate from 23.5 mills to 21.



Pringle Camp Rally Planned

LAKE COWICHAN—Jack Veefkind, Shawigan Lake, was appointed here a quarterly meeting of 10 AOTS clubs on Vancouver Island as chairman of the planning committee for an all-island rally at George Pringle Camp June 17.

The Oak Bay club has agreed to spearhead a drive for \$5,000 for improvements at the camp, located at Shawigan Lake and operated under sponsorship of the United Church of Canada.

Otis Gust, Ladysmith, was appointed boys' work committee chairman.

It was reported new clubs have been formed at Gordon Head, Langford and Courtenay.

Baby Improving After Rescue From Drowning

Fifteen-month-old Allan Scott Kennedy of Sooke, revived by his mother Tuesday after coming close to drowning in a pond near his home, today was reported in "fairly good" condition at St. Joseph's Hospital.

When the child suddenly was missed at 7 p.m. his father, Don Kennedy, Kemp Lake Road, ran to the pond, closely followed by Mrs. Kennedy. He found Allan face down in the water, and while he ran to the house to call an ambulance, Mrs. Kennedy applied artificial respiration.

By the time volunteer firemen had arrived at the farm the youngster had started to breathe. He was given oxygen and rushed to hospital, where he received constant attention to guard against pneumonia.

DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT

Victoria—Goodwood, Thanksgiving, Havkatt.
Chemainus—Demos.
Nanaimo—Vaska Leader.
Texada—Amoroso.
Tahsis—Wongiri.
Alberni—Avis Faith, Roland, Hein Hoyer.

OCEAN MAILS
(Closing dates at Vancouver)
April 21—Japan Mail, Philippines.
May 5—Chusan, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippines.
(At San Francisco)
April 21—Anne Bakke, Hong Kong, Philippines.
April 24—Stratus, Australia.

Agree on Terminal
JUNEAU, Alaska (AP)—Public works commissioner Richard A. Downing said Wednesday Alaska and Canada have reached tentative agreement on terms for construction and operation of the southeast marine highway system terminal at Prince Rupert, B.C.

Hub Planners Study Six-Storey Project

NANAIMO—Plans for construction of two six-storey, 36-suite apartment buildings in the vicinity of the new Nanaimo District Hospital at a cost of more than \$500,000 are under review by Nanaimo Advisory Planning Commission.

William Luhtala, local realtor representing the backers of the enterprise, applied to the commission to rezone the area at Beaufort Avenue and Chelsea Crescent to permit the building of apartments.

Commission members will inspect the site, then make a decision Tuesday evening. Their recommendation will go to the city council April 30 for a final decision.

Backers are prepared to provide a swimming pool, ample parking, landscaping and the city's first apartment elevators.

Mr. Luhtala said that if approval is given, one of the buildings can be completed by the time the new hospital goes into operation in October.

ly destroyed the Canadian Legion Club here late Tuesday night.

The fire started after closing hours while no one was in the building. Two trucks and 18 firemen battled the blaze unsuccessfully.

The fire is believed to have started in a trash can. The club was fully insured.

GANGES—Officers of Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club are L. H. Lorentsen, elected to his third term as president; Victor Jackson, vice-president; Larry Anderson, treasurer; and Mrs. John Bennett, secretary.

Executive committee members are Nels Degene, Mrs. A. W. Wolfe-Milner, R. H. Lee, J. Mollison, J. Fletcher, Art Young, Gordon Scarfe, K. Stevens, Robert Wood Jr., Armand Quesnel, J. Waterfall, Fred Morris, Col. D. G. Crofton, Mac Mout, Mrs. W. Jackson and Laurie Mout.

COURTENAY—Correction of a mistake in arithmetic will

result in a reduction of the city's tax rate from 42 to 40 mills, according to Mayor W. C. Moore.

During first and second reading of the city's budget on Monday the rate was set at 42 mills. Discovery later of a \$12,000 error in calculating interest on sewer connection loans made the reduction possible, he said.

LADYSMITH—The education department has authorized the addition of Art 91, an art major, to the courses offered at Chemainus High School.

Ken Weeks of Ladysmith, a member of the Chemainus High staff, was recommended by the department to teach the course. It is unusual for a high school in a small district to be able to offer this course, according to the department.

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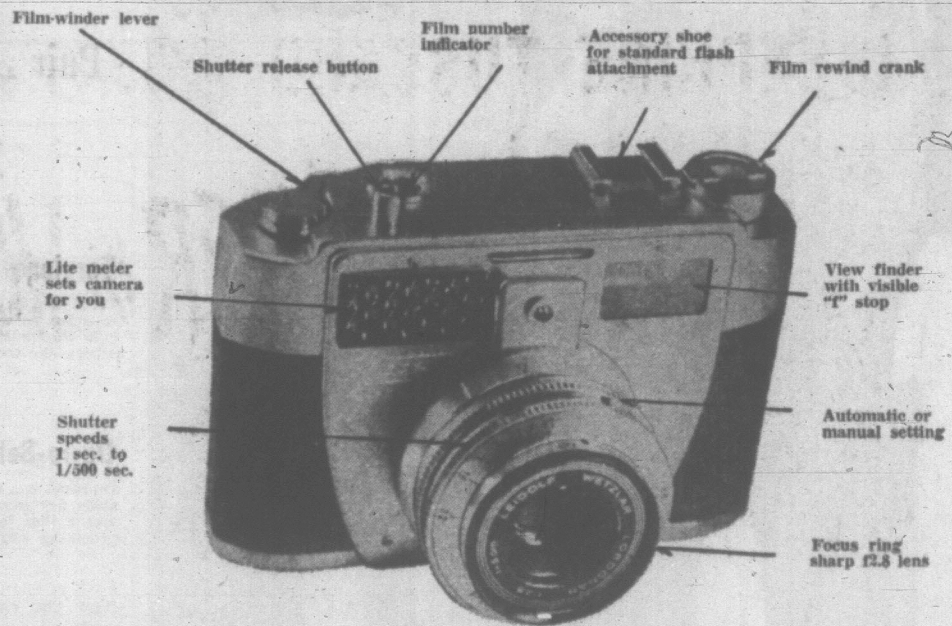
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Smaller Girls' Cotton Knit Swim Suit Sale Cotton knit suits in fitted style with double crotch and snug leg bands for active beach belles. She can have her choice of red, rose or blue suits. Sizes 4-6x. Special, each 2⁶⁶	Girls' Car Coats in Plette lined cotton Hi-length coats of fine cotton lined with flannel-ette for cooler summer days and between-season gadabouts. Two patch pockets to keep things in. Blue, green and gold. Sizes 4-6x. Special 4⁹⁹	Orlon Pullovers and Matching Cardigans Sweaters to go with pretty summer ensembles in red, yellow, pink, blue and white. Classic necklines. Short-sleeved pullovers, sizes 4-6x. Cardigans sizes 4-6x. Special 1⁵⁸ 2²⁸
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The BAY, Young World Shop, 3rd

The Bay extends a hearty welcome home to the crew and ships of the Royal Canadian Navy, Pacific Command

Two Little Boys Slain; Youth Accused of Murder

TORONTO (CP) — A curly-haired youth was arrested Wednesday night and charged with the capital murder of two boys whose little bodies were found in a suburban furniture warehouse a few hours earlier.

Charged in the deaths of Michael Atkinson, 2½, and Ronald MacLeod, 3, was Gary Alexander McCorkell. The children disappeared around dinner time.

McCorkell worked as a shipper in the warehouse in New Toronto and reported finding the boys dead in the building.

The children apparently died of strangulation or asphyxiation. An autopsy was scheduled today.

Chief James Mackey of the Metropolitan Toronto police department said he believed the boys were smothered and may have been indecently assaulted.

SWING INTO ACTION

Top homicide detectives and about 40 other officers swung into a five-hour investigation when the slayings were reported.

The children were reported missing by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel MacLeod. Meanwhile, a youth was seeking help from the Lakeshore Hospital next door to the warehouse. A hospital orderly hurried into the warehouse, estab-

lished that the two boys were dead and called police.

The orderly, Wilfred Sheehan, told police he found the boys fully-clothed on a bed.

There are two surviving children in the MacLeod family and one in the Atkinson family.

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Italian Soldiers Killed by Nazis

WARSAW (AP)—Polish investigators have found new evidence, including mass graves, that the Nazis starved or shot thousands of Italian soldiers on the Eastern Front during the last days of the Second World War, the newspaper Express Wieczorny reported.

Judge Michal Barczewski, member of Poland's "commission for investigating Hitlerite crimes" is reported to have found a score of long, deep

mass graves said to contain the bodies of about 10,000 Russian and Italian prisoners.

The location is given as Nienybka, near Przemyśl, in the southeastern corner of Poland.

Back Educational TV

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congress has given final approval to a bill setting up a five-year, \$32,000,000 program for constructing educational television.

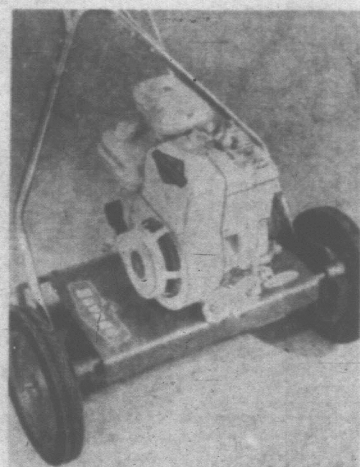
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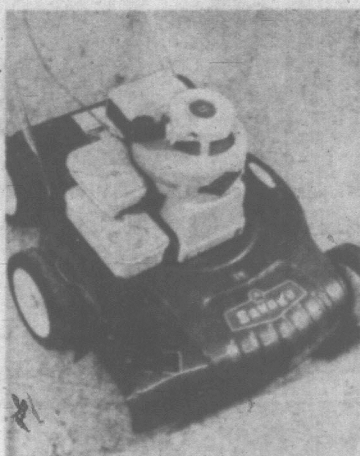


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Lightweight mower weighs approximately 32 lbs., is very easy to use and store. Features wide range of cutting height adjustments, can be used forwards and back again without turning the mower long trouble-free grass cutting.



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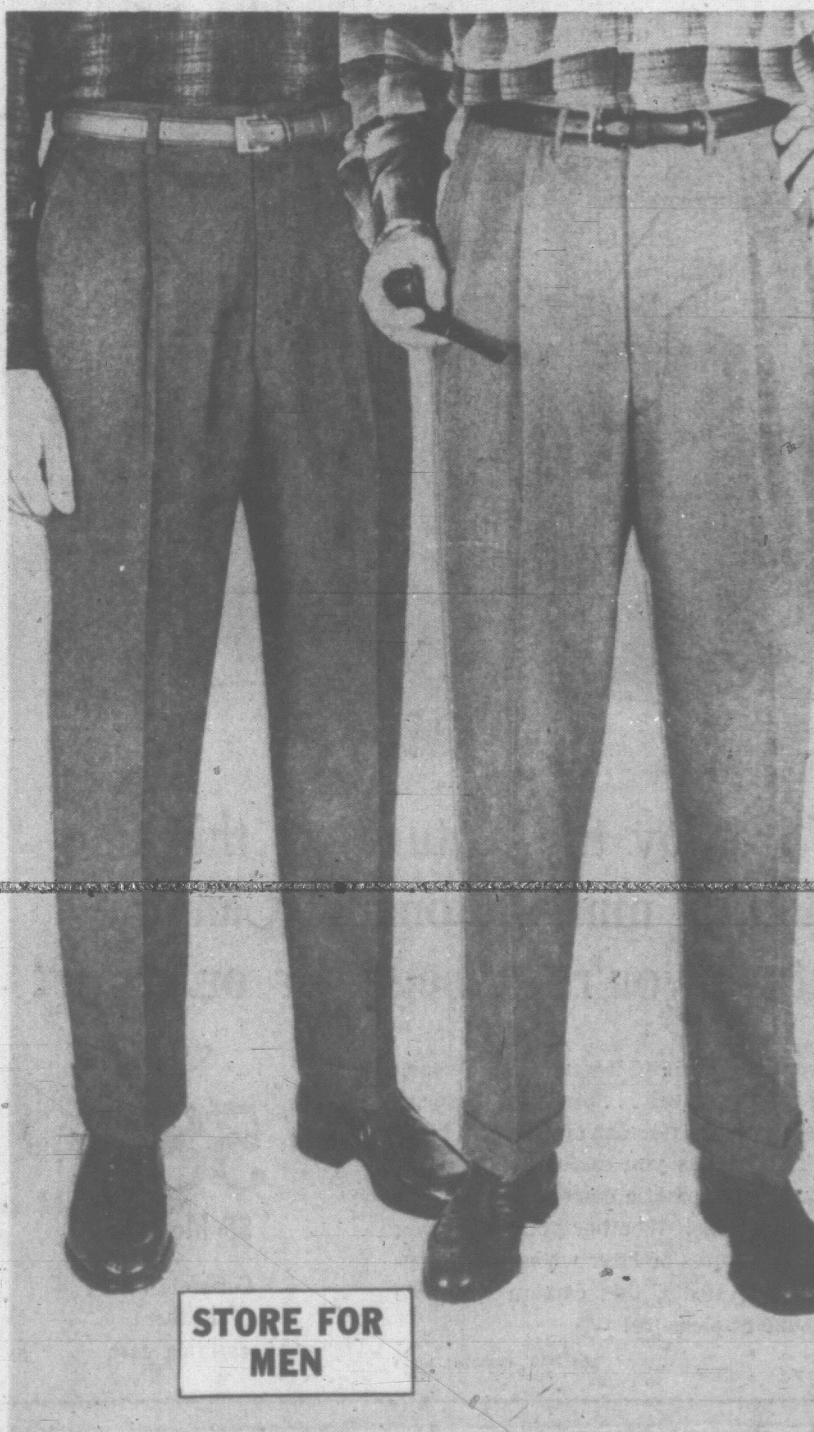


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Crowds Greet Destroyers After Long Orient Cruise

By MONTE ROBERTS

Leading three RCN Pacific Command destroyers home from a 25,000-mile cruise at 10 a.m. today, HMCS Assiniboine flew a paying-off pennant almost twice the length of the ship.

Senior ship of the Second Canadian Escort Squadron Assiniboine will be withdrawn from commission for extensive modernization, including installation of variable-depth sonar gear and a landing deck for a helicopter.

She will be the first of the St. Laurent class destroyers to be converted under the navy's modernization program.

TRIALS COMPLETED

Trials of the VDS have been completed by HMCS St. Laurent. Capt. Victor Browne, commander of the Second, will move with his staff to HMCS Fraser when Assiniboine is taken out of commission.

The cruise which ended today took three and one half months and ranged across the Pacific to Asiatic ports and a full scale exercise with more than 50 ships of Commonwealth navies.

It was the first time Canada had provided ships for a Commonwealth exercise, and all Commonwealth navies were represented.

Purpose of the training routine, Capt. Browne said today, was to have a force in readiness for use if called upon through United Nations commitments.

FIRST IN MEMORY

It is the first peacetime exercise of this nature I can remember, said the veteran naval officer. "Everything we did was in the book—but for nearly every officer and man it was the first chance to see the book in action."

Aircraft carriers, cruisers, destroyers, minesweepers and fleet maintenance ships were involved in the exercise, which fanned out across the whole breadth of the Indian Ocean.

One of the features, Capt. Browne said, was ship replenishment under way, when ships were not only refueled, but stores and ammunition brought up to capacity.

All aspects of naval warfare, including rigging for nuclear

fallout, were practised, with the exception of amphibious landings.

The second highlight of the long voyage, according to Capt. Browne, was a workout with a U.S. carrier task force, proceeding from San Diego to Hawaii, thence to Midway. The Canadian ships were among 29 destroyers in the screening force, and Capt. Browne served his turn as screening force commander.



CAPT. VICTOR BROWNE ... move to Fraser

HMCS FRASER OPEN TO PUBLIC

The destroyer escort HMCS Fraser of the Second Canadian Escort Squadron will be open to the public on Good Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday from 1:30 to 4:15 p.m.

The Fraser will be berthed at a Canadian Pacific jetty in the Inner Harbor which can be reached from the junction of Oswego and Belleville Streets.

"The public is cordially invited to see

over the ship, but cameras are forbidden for security reasons," an RCN spokesman said.

This is the second of a series of "open houses" to be held aboard RCN ships between now and Sept. 3.

Fraser moved to her Inner Harbor berth from Esquimalt this afternoon, and will be dressed overall in signal flags for the weekend.

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Girl Molester Suspect in Jail

BY HAL JONES

After months of intensive investigation Saanich police have taken into custody a man they believe is behind a wave of sex offences against young girls that has plagued the area since last year.

Although nearly all Greater Victoria police forces were involved at one stage or another in the investigations, the brunt of the work fell in Saanich.

The matter first came to their attention in November, 1961, when a mother complained her young daughter had been approached by a stranger and offered a lift, al-

though she had not been molested.

Since then 22 separate complaints were made of young girls between the ages of eight and 11 years being either approached or molested. Parents of about half-a-dozen girls claimed their daughters had been indecently assaulted.

Near-Panic When Police Issue Warning

The situation reached near-panic proportions in early February when the volume of complaints forced police to

in some cases he offered the girl 50 cents or a dollar to show him the way.

Once the girl was in the car he would drive to a secluded spot and assault her.

Detectives began to suspect one man in particular towards the end of January and from then on he was kept under constant observation. Although he was seen to approach a number of youngsters he committed no actual offences while being watched.

He would sit in an old model car near a store and wait for a girl to come out. Then he would drive up and ask her to get into the car and show him the way to a drug store.

Alleged Offender Held In Colwood Burglary

But constant police supervision led to the man being charged with breaking and entering in Colwood RCMP court recently and while in custody he is said to have made statements about a number of the sex offences police had been investigating.

His 1947 model car also was seized.

All through the investigation police were hampered through lack of witnesses and the fact that the young girls involved had difficulty in giving an accurate description of the man.

Saanich police anticipate laying more than a dozen charges, including five morals charges. It is understood further charges will be laid by other police departments.

The suspect was due to appear in Saanich police court this afternoon.

Cruise Ship To Call Here Regularly

Another Century 21 "fringe benefit" for Victoria was revealed today with the announcement that a cruise ship will make regular sailings throughout the summer from San Francisco to Seattle, with stops inbound and outbound at Ogden Point.

Sa. Yarmouth will spend part of a day in port here on her way to Seattle and also on her way back, with several hours allowed each day for shopping and sightseeing tours.

FIRST TRIP MAY 8

First cruise leaves San Francisco May 8, arriving in Victoria May 12. The ship will lay over at Seattle for three days and four nights, the passengers living aboard, and will pay a second visit to Victoria May 16.

The Yarmouth accommodates 401 passengers, and is normally in service in the West Indies. She has been chartered for the summer by a group of Seattle businessmen.

Plane Locates Missing Boat In Cordova Bay

A search and rescue plane was dispatched from Vancouver early today following a report of a boat missing while travelling between Oak Bay Boathouse and Sidney.

The plane found the 22-foot two-masted boat in Cordova Bay—safe and sound.

L. F. Dawes, 2290 Dolphin, left Oak Bay at about 2:30 p.m. Wednesday to take the boat to Sidney for an overhaul. On the way the engine failed and the lack of wind prevented Mr. Dawes from raising sail.

He apparently drifted around most of the night and eventually went ashore this morning in Cordova Bay.

Mrs. Dawes notified Sidney RCMP Wednesday night when her husband failed to arrive home.

MARKING THE END—at least temporarily—of a six-year term as senior ship of the Second Canadian escort squadron, long, paying-off pennant



... HERE ... AND THERE

With NORMAN CRIBBENS

When is a city too big to live in?

When you have to spend an hour travelling to work ... two hours to get to a beach and four hours to a fished-out stream where you may catch an under-sized trout.

So says Henry X. Borge, 2610 Rock Bay Avenue, who has lived in New York, Los Angeles and Vancouver and now calls Victoria his home.

"I was born and raised in New York. But I wanted to get away from crowds. So I went out to Los Angeles. Then the city mushroomed out in all directions.

"I went to Vancouver and the same thing happened there. It was the old ratrace I'd been trying to escape from—so I moved to Victoria and here I intend to stay."

Isn't Victoria growing, too?

"Yes," says Mr. Borge, "but only in one direction. It will reach out to Sidney and new industries will spring up along the Pat Bay Highway. But the city of Victoria is limited geographically. Ultimately I think it will be a centre for civil servants and university students."

Maybe that is what Mayor R. B. Wilson had in mind when he told American delegates to the three-day annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Power Association:

"Come back here when Seattle gets so crowded you can't breathe!"

And talking of big cities ...

Peter Howitt, the London artist who designed the grisly settings for the Chamber of Horrors at the Royal London Wax Museum, tells me he explored dingy bookshops on Charing Cross Road in search of historic detail.

"Some of these shops contain such unsavory literature you get dirty looks when you are seen in them," he said. Mr. Howitt spends much of the year painting huge backdrops for color movies, from a moving platform suspended by pulleys from the ceiling.

In this fashion he painted the giant seascape that was used in the MGM production of the whaling classic Moby Dick.

floats above crowd of 1,825 relatives and friends who entered HMC Dockyard today to bid welcome to HMCS Assiniboine after 25,000-mile cruise.



DR. GEOFFREY GILBERT ... over the top

ST. JOSEPH'S FUND CLIMBS

St. Joseph's Hospital building fund went over the \$100,000 mark today and campaign officials were confident the drive would pick up momentum as canvassers reached corporations and special names divisions.

Campaign official Maurice Cownden reported \$103,000 already donated or pledged to the Greater Victoria canvass which has a goal of \$350,000.

A lunch meeting of business and civic leaders today at 12:30 p.m. in the Union Club was expected to result in further "sizeable" donations.

'Home Folks' Boost Red Cross Campaign

By IAIN HUNTER

The largest division of the Red Cross fund drive for 1962 has gone over the top, officials announced today.

The residential division, which accounts for 60 per cent of the \$79,000 objective for the Victoria area, has surpassed its own quota of \$39,000. Volunteer canvassers who have been making the rounds since the beginning of March have collected a total of \$39,267 from private houses all over Greater Victoria, Salt Spring Island, and Sooke.

This brings the total collected

so far to \$77,711—98.3 per cent of the overall objective.

At the head of this massive organization is Dr. Geoffrey Gilbert. For the past three years he has been co-chairman of the residential appeal with Mrs. Gilbert. This year, however, his wife has had to hand him her share of the burden as well for health reasons.

Dr. Gilbert's responsibility includes the selection of group chairmen who in turn recruit district "captains" who choose their own canvassers. Such is his devotion to the Red Cross cause, however, that this year he took on the captainship of two of the largest districts himself and canvassed some 900 houses on his own.

Through long experience in this work, he has found that he can get the best reception in the morning. But he tries to hold off until after 10 a.m. At this hour the average housewife is more aesthetically agreeable as well as more charitably inclined, he said.

He has been impressed by the number of people in Victoria who contribute even though they may not be able to afford it.

BACK ON PAYDAY

"There are many who have told me quite honestly that they have no money during the week, but if I were to come back on payday they would be glad to contribute. I have gone back on those occasions and they have proved most generous," he said.

He feels that his success has been due to the "terrible backlog of good will" which the Red Cross enjoys.

Many have had personal experience with the services which the organization supplies. Such was the case of the young mother who said she would not be alive today if it were not for the Red Cross Red Cross transfusion service. One woman whose five-day-old baby had undergone an open-heart operation, using many pints of blood, had proved one of his most successful canvassers.

MET WITH GRUDGE

Dr. Gilbert has only once come close to being thrown out, and only once met a man who had a grudge against the Red Cross.

"This man who had run out of money while on leave in London during the First World War considered himself a casualty of the first magnitude, and couldn't understand why the Red Cross would not lend him money."

Other divisions which cover business, industry, the services and hotels have yet to reach their quota. But campaign officials, with the greater part of the goal realized are confident that the 1962 drive will be a success.

Provincial headquarters have announced that 73.73 per cent of the B.C. quota has been reached.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

A 17-year-old youth today was sentenced to nine months definite and six months indefinite at the young offenders' unit after he pleaded guilty in city and Oak Bay police courts to six charges of theft and one of breaking and entering.

Lewis Patrick Stevens, 1922 Leighton, admitted stealing a car, a car radio, a sweater, pistol, wrist watch and wallet and breaking into an Oak Bay grocery store.

"You are still a young man," Magistrate William Ostler told him.

"But instead of being a help and comfort to your mother who is doing her best for you under difficult circumstances you are getting into trouble and making her lot more difficult."

The 28-piece brass and reed band of the 5th (B.C.) Independent Medium Battery RCA will give a public concert of classical and popular music Sunday evening in the Christ Church Cathedral Memorial

Master of ceremonies for the evening will be Canon R. E. H. Howell, the Battery's Protestant padre.

Provincial government offices will be closed from 5 p.m. today to 8:30 a.m. Tuesday for the Easter holidays.

Civil servants will get the full long weekend with Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday off.

The same goes for civic and municipal workers.

The provincial museum will open all day Saturday, Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and all day Monday.

The Victoria Public Library will be closed Friday and Monday but open Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A prayer, praise and thanks-giving service will be held Tuesday at 7:45 p.m. by the Victoria and District British Israel Association in the Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street.

An inquest into the traffic death April 6 of 77-year-old Allan Pym, 3960 Cedar Hill Cross Road, was adjourned today to Tuesday pending finding of witnesses.

Police urged anyone seeing the accident at Douglas near Summit when a car driven by a 17-year-old girl collided with the pedestrian to come forward.

The inquest, which opened at 10 a.m. in Sands Mortuary, will resume Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the same location.

"B" group of the junior branch of the Victoria Natural History Society will meet on Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at the Monterey parking lot for a field trip to the "Panhandle" off Munn Road.

ASK THE TIMES

Q. Who has won the most Oscars? L.C.H.

A. Walt Disney has won more "Oscars"—awards of the United States Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, instituted in 1929—than any other person. His total is 25 since '931.

Q. Since paintings seem to cause so much controversy in this cultured city of ours could you please tell me when man first began to dabble with color? S.H.K.

A. The Stag's Head, a finger painting, is likely one of the earliest yet found. Located in the La Pileta Cave at Benaojan, Spain, it belongs to the Upper Palaeolithic period 30,000 to 15,000 B.C. Also belonging to this period are ceiling paintings in the Pech-Merle Cave at Lot, France.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

CHARMER GREETERS NAMED

'Flower Pipe Song' for City's Visitors

Two young misses will add color and gaiety to the welcome being arranged for visitors to Victoria in the city's centennial year.



RISHA GOLBY ... flower girl

Winsome Risha Golby, 15, of 433 Quebec, has been selected from a number of applicants to act as Centennial Flower Girl and piper Lona Donaldson, 3132 Davin, will again play visitors ashore from ferries arriving at the Inner harbor.

Starting in mid-May, Risha—sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce Tourist Trade Group and the Centennial Society—will hand out flowers around the inner harbor while dressed in authentic 1862 costume.

The costume will be made by Mrs. Margaret Hall. Her flowers will be supplied through co-operation of wholesale and retail merchants in the area.

"At a number of projects throughout the summer funds will be allocated to a 'Flower Girl Scholarship' which will help her toward a college education."

Miss Colby is a scholarship student both at school and at the Vivian Briggs dance studio. She is a member of the Victoria Theatre Guild, Fantasy Theatre, the Church of Our Lord Choir and L'Alliance Francaise de Victoria.

Miss Donaldson, also sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, will take up her welcoming post at the docks for the summer when she starts her school holidays and will pipe visitors ashore from both the CPR steamers and the Coho.

She will be on hand to welcome the first boat from Seattle when the summer service resumes April 27.

Walter Dodsworth, chairman of the chamber's tourist industry group, today appealed to the Victoria business community for contributions to the "Piper Fund."

He noted that the year would be a banner one for

tourists arriving by ship from the U.S., and that it was fitting the whole community should contribute to support a colorful welcome for the visitors.



LONA DONALDSON ... shore piper

Dainty Little Easter Cakes Will Be a Teatime Hit . . .

By PENNY SAVER

Wondering what you can serve to unexpected guests over the Easter holiday?

Wonder no longer, dear readers. Penny has seen some tasty treats that will be wonderful conversation pieces as well as being different and exciting.

How about Easter chicks? I don't mean the real ones with feathers, but dainty imitations made of white cake as a base, and butter cream for the head. This is all covered with a yellow icing, with decorative beak and comb.

Each little chick sells for 10 cents. They're so cute, one can hardly believe that they're to be eaten.

Naturally Easter would not be complete without an Easter bunny, so there are bunnies, made of cake and icing, too, selling for 10 cents each. They are white with two little chocolate ears.

There are eggs galore, all made of cake. Imagine how surprised your guests would be to bite into cake covered with pink icing and flavored with cherry brandy; almond, an aqua shade, or chocolate. Price is three for 25 cents.

Easter time is spring time, so naturally the decor of "all outdoors" will lend itself nicely to your entertaining theme.

I've even found cake bird nests. A filbert nut cake tart, with a chocolate butter cream nest sprinkled with green tinted coconut. What a treat in the centre of each nest? Eggs, of course, made of different colored jelly beans. Whole effect is mouth watering. The nests are priced at 10 cents each.

Another selection of cakes are decorated with pale green almond icing in a pussy willow motif. They are 10 cents each.

For a wonderful surprise, a box of miniature cakes would make a perfect Easter gift. At first glance they look like chocolates, but the centre of each is cake. One box with approximately 30 little cakes sells for \$1.50.

Penny, EV 2-3131.

THE BETTER HALF

By Bob Barnes



"If that's the same stuff you sold us last year, it's mislabeled—it's really dandelion seed."

Engaged Couple Honored

Miss Kathleen Greenslade and Mr. Edward York, who are to be married this month were guests of honor at a surprise party and shower last Saturday evening.

Arranged by the St. John's Anglican Young People's Association, the party was held in the Florence Lake summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mobey.

Teen-Agers' Fashion Show

Easter vacation and summer time styles, from party dresses to the latest hipster sportswear, will be on parade Saturday in an hour-long presentation in Eaton's Victoria Room at 9:15 a.m. Showing is by a group of teen-agers from an advanced charm course sponsored by the store. Admission is free.

Co-ordinators of the show will be Lorraine McConnell, Esquimalt High and Adele Stevens, Mt. Douglas High, and the master of ceremonies, Candis Heath, Victoria High. Frances Tether and Joan Turner, Mt. View High, and Laurie Matthews, Victoria High, will be commentators. Valerie Edwards and June Smythe, Victoria High and Jennifer Conn, Esquimalt High, the fitters, dressers and accessories.

Acting as models will be Sherry Tennant, Colquitz High; Karen Thompson and Gloria Davidson, Esquimalt High; Pat Metcal, Mt. View High; Karen Gillings, Sandy Juhl, Judy Gaffney, Victoria High; Carol Gay, St. Stoddart, Glenna McIntyre and Patricia Reed, all of Oak Bay High.

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Credit Women Host Bosses

Members of Victoria Credit Women's Breakfast Club

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Centrepiece of the head table exemplified the theme, "United For Progress." It was made of two hoops, representing employers and employees, intertwined with an arrow joining the two. Hoops were in silver and gold.

The silver marked 25th anniversary of the Credit Women's Breakfast Club and District No. 10 of the group. Gold was to mark 50th anniversary of the National Retail Credit Association.

Individual programs were shaped like miniature black space rockets. Fifty-one members and bosses attended.

Mrs. Evelyn Ward gave the innovation and Mrs. Joy Kenyon, president, welcomed

guests and introduced head table guests.

Toast to the bosses was given by Mrs. Florence Reid, vice-president. M. A. Johnston, president of Victoria Creditor Granters replied.

Miss Charlotte Montgomery, Imperial Canadian Bank of

Commerce, was guest speaker using the theme as her topic. She was introduced by Miss Georgia MacKay.

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Crowds Attend League Party

Space was at a premium, toned tulips centred the head table, flanked by yellow candles in silver candelabra.

Presiding at the silver and copper coffee turns were Mrs. George Gray, Mrs. J. Hill, Mrs. J. Gibbs, Mrs. H. B. Clarke, Mrs. J. Lindsay, Mrs. N. Frumment, Mrs. Percy B. Scutrah, Mrs. A. C. Wurtel, Mrs. George Murdoch and Mrs. T. Morrison.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. E. F. W. Cox, president. General convenor was Mrs. C. R. Oxtoby, assisted by Mrs. H. L. Mackenzie and Mrs. R. F. Gray.

A colorful arrangement of daffodils, narcissi and flame-

At tables centred with nose-gays of spring flowers guests

were served the usual delicacies in addition to pancakes, sausage rolls and other hot morsels.

Mrs. J. Forbes and Mrs. T. Eastick convened the home cooking stall and in charge of superfluities were Mrs. L. P. Lawlor, Mrs. A. J. Bird and Mrs. G. A. Holloway.

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School With No Absentee Problem

By PAT DUFOUR

It's a long time between Wednesdays for the pint-sized youngsters who live in the Springridge Crescent district. For, to them, Wednesday morning is the highlight of the week.

Hardly is the last spoonful of breakfast cereal downed before they head for number 4189, centre of a novel kindergarten run by Mrs. Thomas A. Stevens.

Novelty lies in the fact that she runs it free of charge and "strictly for kicks."

Not that she's a bored housewife that needs some interest to fill in the long hours. Quite the contrary. In addition to looking after her husband and their four-year-old daughter, Teresa, Mrs. Stevens works the night shift at St. Joseph's Hospital as relieving night supervisor of the nursing staff. Her kindergarten grew almost by accident. "It began last October when I used to invite some of the neighborhood children in as company for Teresa."

It was a lucky accident for her neighbors. Anyone who sees Mrs. Stevens' pupils cannot help but be struck by their excellent manners and deportment.

She sums up the curriculum this way: "I try to teach good manners, the richness of sharing things, golden rules such

as 'don't pick the neighbors' flowers,' all nicely interspersed between coloring pictures and making intriguing bunnies and other objects."

And her pupils approve—100 per cent! Even three-year-old Gregory Higgs who has the face of a cherub in spite of his assertion that he's "a tough guy" sums up kindergarten with an enthusiastic, "I love it!"

VARIED PROGRAM

Lately the curriculum has been enlarged. It includes Danish songs, Hawaiian dances as well as other fare designed to give a glimpse of life in 10 different countries.

This is not a lesson in geography but part of a show being prepared to raise funds for St. Joseph's Hospital's building program.

The children intend to give their performance in early

May and they'll not have to twist arms to sell tickets to doting parents and grandparents.

Why the round-the-world theme?

Elsa Stevens explains, "We want to stress the fact that the hospital is open to all colors and creeds and this is as good a way as any."

In addition there's a play starring "Mighty Mouse." The show will begin with a selection of songs, the youngsters making their debut in "surpluses" made of their teacher's old uniforms, perked up with red and white striped bows.

In between keeping house, nursing and teaching, Mrs. Stevens has squeezed time to take on the duties of wardrobe mistress.

Does her husband mind the fact that her "family" increases by nine on every "school" day?

"Not a bit!" she asserts, "he's as fond of children as I am."

She adds with true wifely logic, "Besides, it gives him that much more time to work on the boat he's building in the basement."

Shawl of Mink

The Paris collections turned up a simple little shawl unlike anything grandma ever wore. It's made of white mink!

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Women

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Badminton Players Honored

A reception was held at Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club on Wednesday evening to honor Misses Judy Humber, Alison Daysmith, Diana Godfrey and Mr. Alex Barloewen, who brought home three cups from the Canadian badminton championships held in Montreal. Club lounge was gay with spring flowers and the refreshment table was centred with flowers and lighted with candles. Mr. A. Pitkethley presented the four young players with small gifts from the club. Alderman M. Griffin represented Mayor Wilson at the gathering and others present include Mr. and Mrs. E. Von Barloewen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Daysmith, Mrs. E. C. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. C. Humber, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wells, Mr. J. McArthur, Mr. and Mrs. R. MacMurchie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hedley, Dr. J. Donald, Mr. G. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. P. Crampton, Mrs. V. Wilkinson, Mrs. W. Kissing, Miss B. Parrish, Miss J. Paribby, Miss C. King, Miss L. Boak, Mr. B. Barker and Mr. W. Mahon.

Going to Chicago

Mrs. Helen M. Olden, 3237 Carman Street, will leave Wednesday by air for the 14th annual Christian writers conference and workshop at Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, April 26 to 28. Before returning to Victoria in early May she will spend several days in Toronto visiting friends.

From Minnesota

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Armstrong of St. Paul, Minn., are in Victoria as guests of Mrs. Armstrong's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong were guests of honor last evening at a family dinner party at the Princess Mary Restaurant, on the occasion of their 48th wedding anniversary. They plan to remain here for two weeks before flying back to Minnesota by way of San Francisco.

With Brother

Col. Adam Kropinski was a recent guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Major and Mrs. Z. W. Kropinski, in their Upper Ganges Road home on Salt Spring Island. Col. Kropinski had just returned from a five-months' holiday in Europe. He is now visiting relatives at Shawnigan Lake.

Ontario Visitor

Mrs. E. W. Camp of Arrprior, Ont., arrived in Victoria by air recently to visit her sis-

Mrs. Thomas A. Stevens conducts a dress rehearsal of round-the-world part of a show to be given in aid of the St. Joseph's Hospital's building fund. Left to right, are Jeannie Stubbs, Eskimo; Dianne Young, Mexican; Robert McCall, English; Martin Higgs, Japanese; Sharlene Patterson, Canadian; Sandra Rodgers, Irish; Kim Perrin, Hawaiian; Teresa Stevens, Danish; and Gregory Higgs, Swiss. Only member of the "troupe" missing is Kelly Mulligan who takes the part of an East Indian.

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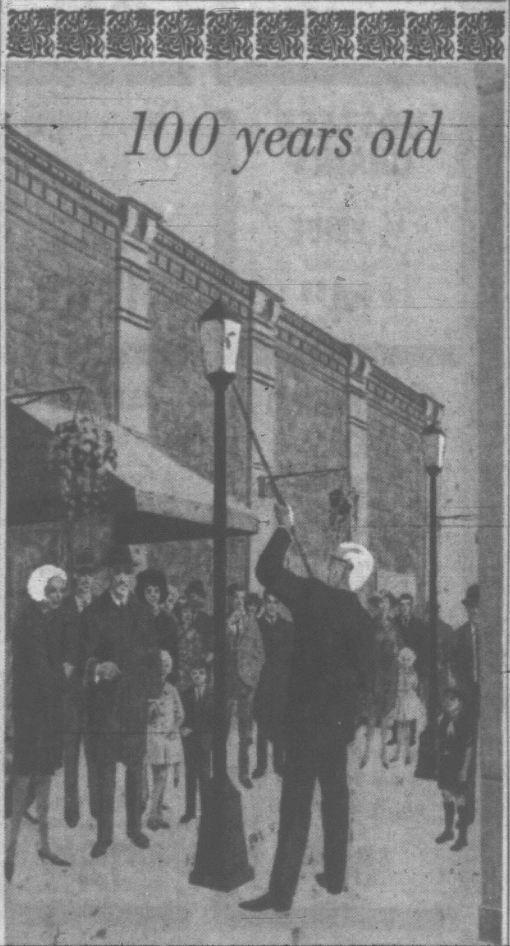
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In Vancouver

Mrs. W. J. Seymour has returned to Salt Spring Island where she is a teacher in the Ganges School. She recently travelled to Vancouver to observe primary classes at work and discuss new trends in primary teaching. While there she was the guest of Miss Cynthia Tilson, primary supervisor of Vancouver schools, and her assistant, Miss Jo Etter.



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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Adopt Current Hair Style,
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Some psychiatrists have suggested that a woman's hair styles may reflect her status in society. Just as long hair was once thought to be a symbol of man's strength, wisdom and virility, the idea is that women's fashions somewhat reflected the roles they were playing in life at the time.

For instance, long ago when women played a more passive role they had long hair. As they acquired more freedom,

socially, in business and politics, their hairdos became quite short. This brings up some interesting speculation. Are women subconsciously returning to more feminine roles? One wonders about the recent fashion of teasing the hair into balloon-like proportions and now the new Cleopatra hair style, and about the softer, more feminine modes.

Are most women completely dominated by the hair fashion of the moment? I always have suspected that hair stylists are good psychologists, with a tenth sense about the feeling in the feminine atmosphere, and that women will not accept a style unless they are ready for it.

However, it is probably not as complex as this. Women become tired of wearing their hair the same way, year after year. They like to change it just as they like to move the furniture about periodically.

The smart woman adopts the current fashion, but adapts it to herself. She does not sacrifice good looks for extreme fashion, but looks as pretty as she can and also stylish. She also considers the appropriateness of her hairdo.

With a good basic cut, and hair which is not too short, she can arrange it in an attractive, simple, practical way for day-time, and become more glamorous at night. With the extra hair pieces available, she can be quite elaborate for special occasions.

Modern woman also is aware that good nutrition, cleanliness and scalp massage are essential if she hopes to have lovely tresses, no matter how she wears her hair.

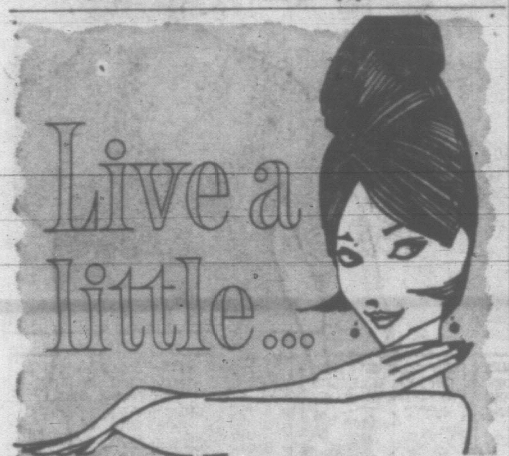
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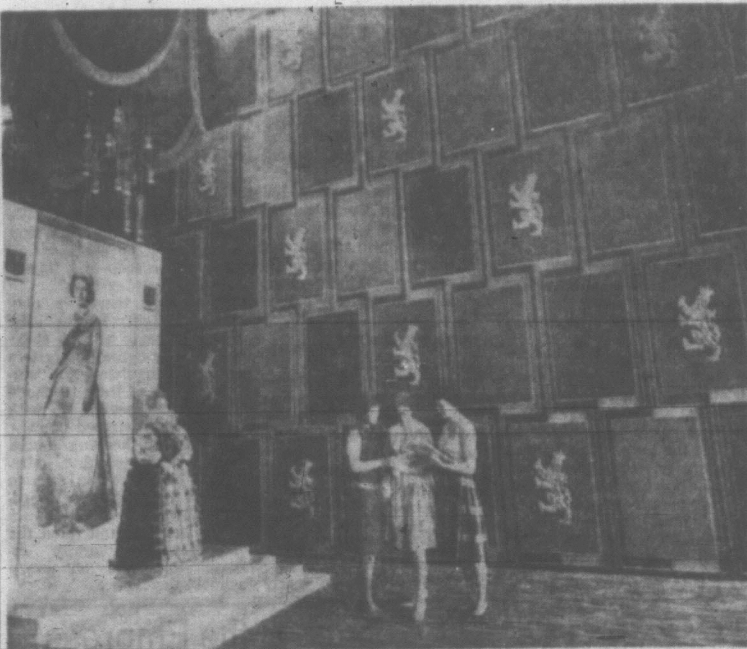
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Regal British Exhibit at World's Fair—Three British ladies stand in a regal section of the British exhibit at the Seattle World's Fair, studying details of the exhibit so they can help visitors when the giant \$100 million exposition opens a six-months' run Saturday.

At left in the stately room is a giant portrait of Queen Elizabeth II. In front of the portrait is a small statue of Queen Elizabeth I. Girls are Penny Player, Joyce Hippis and Margaret Roles, all of England. (AP Wirephoto.)

DEAR ABBY...

Right Church, Wrong Pew!

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



DEAR ABBY: I promised my wife I'd abide by your decision. I stuck my neck out and got a chap a job because I know that many times his family went hungry. He has lost five jobs in the past two years. His last employer just sent me a confidential report on him stating the man is lazy, unreliable, attempts to be a big shot, abuses his authority and many other uncomplimentary remarks. I say I should show this report to his wife. She is a very refined and educated girl who thinks "the world" is against him. My wife says she is blindly in love with him and we should not wise her up. I think it's time she knew these facts. What do you think?

FRIENDS.

DEAR FRIENDS: If you really want to be helpful, show the report to the MAN, not his wife.

DEAR ABBY: Four years ago my husband died and left me with two small children. This summer I plan to marry a widower who has a son. His son's name is Gary and so is mine. It will be very confusing with two Garys in the house. Have you any suggestions?

MY PROBLEM: If either Gary has a middle name, use it. Or give one Gary a nickname. But don't say, "my Gary" and "your Gary" or it will be psychologically bad for all concerned.

DEAR ABBY: I have been

Women Curlers Hold Banquet

Daffodils decorated the head table for the annual dinner meeting of the ladies' division, Victoria Curling Club, held Monday evening in the club lounge.

Seated with the division president, Mrs. N. Beattie, were Mrs. R. Jackson, president of the Victoria Ladies' Curling Club; Mrs. E. Bullock, wife of the president of the Victoria Curling Club; Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. C. Hodgson, Mrs. J. Johnston, Mrs. Jim Tang, Mrs. D. Duncan and Mrs. V. Pellett, executive members of the division.

At the annual meeting which followed, Mrs. Beattie, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Hodgson and Mrs. Pellett, were re-elected president, second vice-president, third vice-president, treasurer and secretary. Mrs. L. A. Walton was elected first vice-president.

Prizes presented during the evening included the Betty Willis Trophy to Miss Kay Trevelyan's rink, including Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. L. White and Mrs. D. Fukuyama and the Knight Trophy to Mrs. F. Martin's rink, including Mrs. B. Scaly, Mrs. J. Burgess and Miss Jane Martin.

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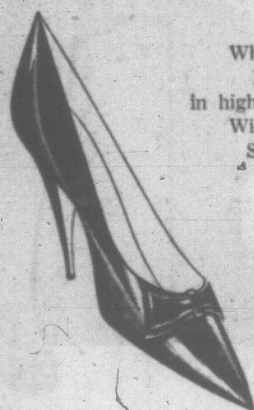
DUNDEE, Scotland (AP)—The wedding-day dilemma of 20-year-old Fiona Campbell was change her church, or change her wedding dress with its crinolined skirt. She changed churches.

"You'll never get down the aisle of Auchterhouse kirk in that dress," a recently married girl friend told her.

Fiona did some measuring. The skirt was six inches wider than the aisle. So Fiona decided on Muirhead Church for Saturday's ceremony — after she measured its aisle.

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Parties for Bride-Elect

Several parties have been held to honor Miss Sandra Hoff, whose marriage to John Whittaker takes place this Saturday.

Guests were all members of the Woman's Guild of St. Richard's Church when Mrs. Robert Smith was hostess at a kitchen shower in the Fernside Road home of Mrs. D. O. Boardman. Spring flowers decorated the rooms and gifts were in a wishing well.

Guests were Mrs. Arthur Whittaker, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. J. Bell, Mrs. E. L. Aubel, Mrs. O. Prentice, Mrs. C. R. Rich, Mrs. E. A. Naylor, Mrs. A. Macdonald, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. Bruce Naylor, Mrs. N. Pritchett, Mrs. W. S. Edmondson, Mrs. U. Jupp, Mrs. R. Hayward, Mrs. N. L. Craig, Mrs. H. S. Kent, Mrs. A. Ward, Mrs. J. M. Teek, Mrs. H. Henderson, Mrs. Ena McCabe and the Misses Joan Robeson, Wendy Smith and Donna Boardman.

Games were played and a buffet supper served.

Mrs. Whittaker entertained at a social evening in her Edgely Street home in honor of her future daughter-in-law. Invited guests included Mrs. B. T. Derry, Mrs. W. E. Crossley, Mrs. Aubel, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Prentice, Mrs. Jupp, Mrs. N. Davis, Mrs. H. Neuls, Mrs. Bruce Naylor, Mrs. Rich, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Edmondson, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. E. A. Naylor, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. McCabe, Mrs. A. Ward, Mrs. Teek, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. F. Dann, Mrs. R. Smith and Miss Robeson.

A red "school house," complete with miniature children on the steps, held gifts when Mrs. B. T. Derry entertained at a shower in her Musgrave Street home. Hostess was assisted by Mrs. W. E. Crossley.

Invited guests included Mrs. R. Denison, Mrs. R. Wilson, Mrs. W. Morris, Mrs. T. B. Derry, Mrs. Roy Derry, Mrs. Richard Derry, Mrs. M. Loney,

Mrs. L. Bruebaker, Mrs. T. McDonald, Mrs. R. M. Lister, Mrs. W. McKeown, Mrs. L. Wooster, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. N. Sousa, Mrs. A. Bridge, Mrs. McCabe, Mrs. C. D. Mathias, Mrs. A. Archer, Mrs. Dann,

Mrs. W. Jackson, Miss M. Tigball, Miss M. Kohler, Miss Betty Smith, Miss Lorraine Essery and Miss Marjorie Krusky.

Today the bride-elect and members of the bridal party left for Miss Hoff's home in Prince George where the wedding will be held.

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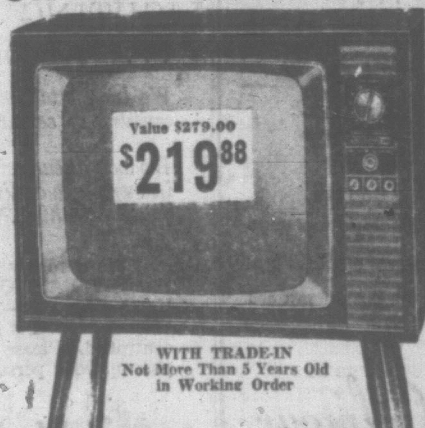
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6. Midnight in Moscow—Kenny Ball.
7. Dream Baby—Roy Orbison.
8. Love Letters—Ketty Lester.
9. Love Me Warm and Tender—Paul Anka.
10. Good Luck Charm—Elvis Presley.
11. Please Don't Ask About Barbara—Bobby Vee.
12. Stranger on the Shore—Mr. Arker Bilk.
13. Slow Twistin'—Chubby Checker.
14. The Big Draft—Four Preps.
15. Her Royal Majesty—James Darren.
16. Come Back Silly Girl—The Leftmen.
17. Where Have All the Flowers Gone—Kingston Trio.
18. The White Rose of Athens—David Carroll.
19. Duke of Earl—Gene Chandler.
20. You Win Again—Fats Domino.

TEEN-AGE CANADA



How About A Poetry Party?

By JACK HUTTON
Interested in throwing a party absolutely different from any which you or your gang have ever tried? If so, take a second look at your high school poetry books.

We're going to throw a poetry party. Sounds whacky? Well, the idea is being tried by a large number of American teenagers—and I think you'll find it stretches your mind while you're having fun.

To be fair, you might let your guests know which poets you'll concentrate on. Or, if some of them have individual preferences, let them make suggestions about the evening.

Or you may prefer your own examples.

Food for Thought

Everyone has to eat eventually (poets really don't like starving), so you might as well borrow Millay's phrase: "Love is not all; it is not meat nor drink." Perfect for the table.

There are an infinite number of gimmicks you can use—supplying missing words from familiar lines, making up a treasure hunt with familiar lines, writing hit parade songs with the guitar.

Finally, you and your guests may want to hear the real thing. If so, the help you need is no farther away than your favorite record store. Ogden Nash, for example, is available on Caedmon Records (277 Fifth Ave., N.Y. 16, N.Y.).

An excellent anthology of modern poets speaking their own verse is available on Columbia Records (ML 4259), entitled "The Pleasure Dome". (Just try turning out the lights and listening to this all by yourself sometime.)

A few others you might enjoy: "Famous Poems That Tell Great Stories", read by Alexander Scourby, Agnes Moorehead and Arnold Moss; "Poems of Robert Burns", read by Max Dunbar, and "Leaves of Grass" by Walt Whitman. (All three are on Folkways Records.)

Make It Fun

Above all, don't aim at making the evening highbrow. It should simply be fun. If you're all weak on remembering lines, it would be a good idea to have a few books of poetry scattered about. And pin the record jackets on the wall.

We've heard for some time about a rebirth of interest in Canadian poetry among both adults and young people. Why not be the first in your block to make it the basis of an interesting evening?

JUST NOTES—Have you heard what the Gallup Poll said about you recently? It described the average North American teen-ager as "indifferent, conservative and cautious, little spirit of adventure, and willing to settle for low success rather than risk high failure." Agree?

Poets All

Guests may want to dress up like poets. Once they've arrived, a good starter is to have individuals act out famous starting lines (Listen, my children, and you shall hear—Of the midnight ride of Paul Revere").

Sometime during the evening call a 15-minute break during which each person selects another guest and does a rhymed "word portrait." You'll probably need more than 15 minutes—but the doggerel is usually hilarious.

As a warmer-upper you might prefer a group effort. Have one person think of a line and the others, sitting in a circle, will supply the succeeding verses. Maybe you'll discover that you're all brilliant.

Ingenu Magazine, an American teen-age journal which originally suggested this party idea, claims that the party-giver can set the atmosphere with both music and appropriate cards.

Know a friend who plays guitar? Carl Sandburg, the well-known American poet, proved some time ago that guitars and poetry go hand-in-hand together. Just try reading against that background.

Cards? A perfect card to hang over the party room entrance would be Carlyle's phrase: "A vein of poetry exists in the heart of all men."



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What Does the Sperm Whale Eat?
The blue ballean whale, biggest animal alive, is a gentle giant who feeds on floating plankton. His cousin, the sperm whale, is somewhat smaller. But this fellow is a mighty warrior of the deep oceans. He hunts and he fights. He works hard for a living and the food he devours sometimes costs him his life.

The whales, the dolphins and the porpoises are classified in the order Cetacea, a scientific name coined from the Greek word for whale. All these animals are warm-blooded, air-breathing mammals who make their livings in the ocean. The cetaceans are highly intelligent animals, much smarter than the fishes and most of the other sea-dwellers.

The mighty sperm whale is known as the cachalot and he

Makes Lunch of Giant Squid

The favorite food of the sperm whale is the giant squid who spends most of his time on the dark floor of the deep ocean. This monster of the deep may have a body 19 feet long, plus twining tentacles 35 feet long. When attacked, he puts up a tremendous fight for his life—and even the mighty sperm whale does not always win.

The sperm whale can plunge to almost a mile below the surface and stay under water an hour before coming up to breathe. The furious battle between the whale and giant squid is fought down here under tremendous pressure where the sea is darker than darkest midnight. Even when the whale wins, he may die later from his wounds. The sperm whale also eats cuttlefish and octopus who haunt the deep oceans. Sometimes he attacks big game nearer the surface. He is one of the few ocean-dwellers who dares to attack the shark and when this happens, the blood-thirsty



IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT

By EARL WILSON

NEW YORK—Phil Silvers, Mrs. Silvers, their four children, a nurse and a friend of Mrs. Silvers (an entourage of eight) are settling down in a home in Beverly Hills while Phil does two movies, several TV shows and a pilot film for a new TV series, requiring several months. They may not come back east—being a TV and movie personality, Phil isn't sure New York will last! ... Hugh O'Brian's been forced to inspect 400 girls while helping judge the Miss Rehingold contestants and he's sick and tired of seeing so much beauty. "It's like suddenly you feel you've had too much peanut butter," groans Hugh.

Eddie Fisher starts recording again—his first choice is "Arrivederci, Roma" and the flip side may be Al Jolson's "Back in Your Own Backyard." (Remember? "You go to the east, you go to the west," but you find nappiness "in your

own backyard.") We suggest some people might think Eddie was singing to and about Liz Taylor. Milton Blackstone said: "Eddie can't sing any song without people thinking that." Eddie, recording for ABC-Paramount, says, "I'm in great voice."

Guess Richard Burton gave up Liz Taylor to avert a Sissy War? ... JFK's mother was real angry at a wire service cameraman who took a picture of her departing for Europe ... Gambling in London may soon make Las Vegas look small-time. A famous English lord lost \$750,000 at

chemin de fer in a "private salon" with one of the most celebrated men in the world sitting in the game.

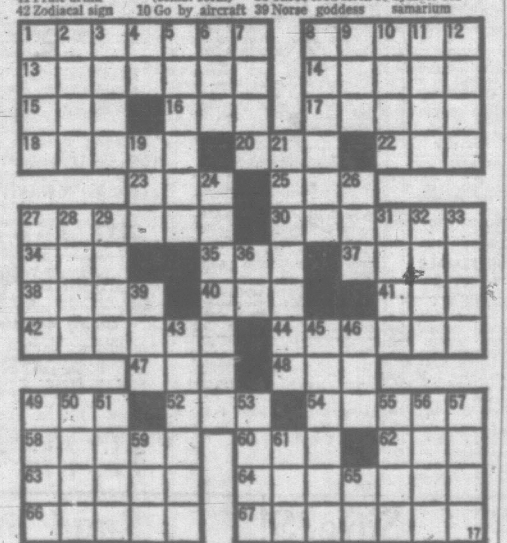
WISH I'D SAID THAT: The father of a teen-ager says parents should try to get their kids through school as quickly as possible, so they can begin their education. —Pic Larmour.

It's a fact of life, notes Troy Gordon, that the more indignantly baseball owners and H'wood husbands deny a change in managements, the more likely it is to happen.

Earl Wilson

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 - 27 Grumble
 - 30 Classify
 - 31 Ship's retinue
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 - 34 Grumble
 - 35 armadillo
 - 36 Right line (sh.)
 - 44 Staff
 - 45 Masculine
 - 46 Cornal grain
 - 48 Ribbed fabric
 - 54 Nostrils
 - 56 Run away (slang)
 - 60 Also
 - 62 Native metal
 - 63 Girl's name
 - 64 Motives
 - 65 Drive 'off
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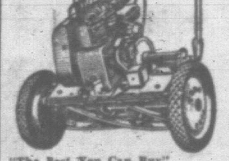


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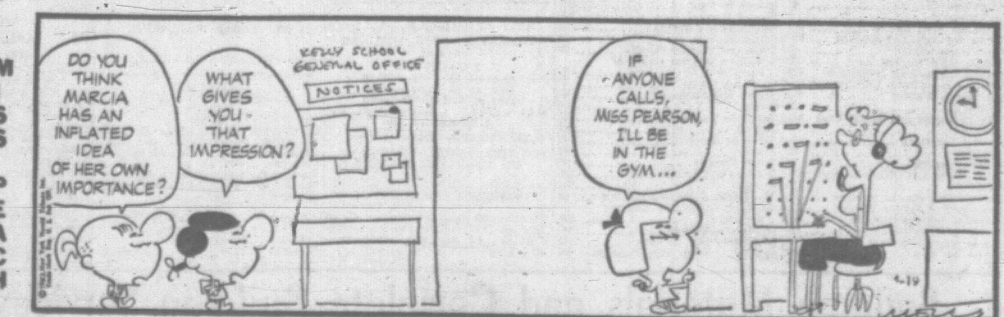
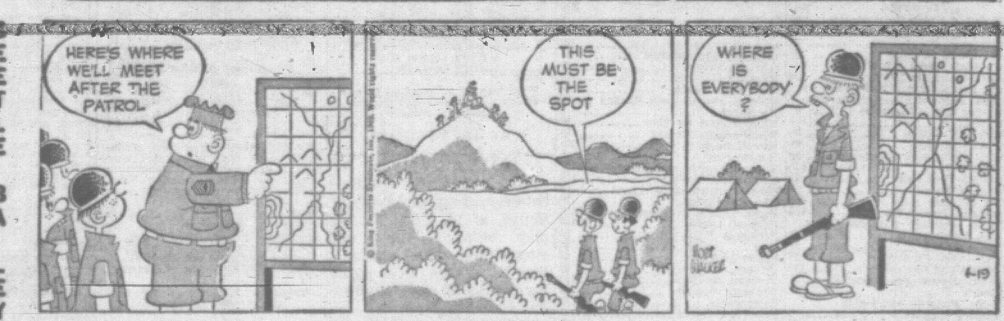
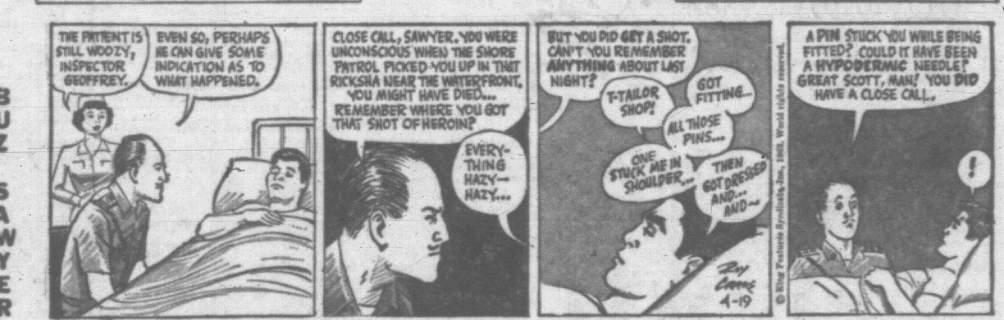
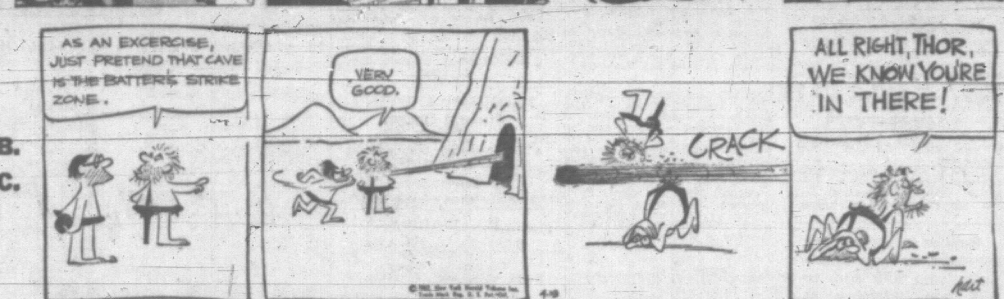
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They last met in the streets of Vancouver in April, 1919, when Mr. Thompson returned from war service with Canada's Royal Flying Corps.

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Here is the 11th of 12 articles from the book, "A Brighter Later Life," by Howard Whitman, noted writer on human affairs and social problems.

By HOWARD WHITMAN

Among the surviving writings of ancient Rome appears this description of an elder:

"By his mode of living he has preserved all his senses entire, and his body vigorous and active to his 76th year, without showing any sign of old age except wisdom."

Wisdom is in deed—or can be—the sign of old age. That is, in any culture which is grown up enough to be able to read signs!

Often culture fails to read this sign at all; in its youthfulness it pays little attention to wisdom and gives little heed to those elders who are wisdom's reservoir. Instead of tapping the wisdom of age to help us solve our many problems, we seem to be doing our very best to turn the aged themselves into a problem.

A 73-year-old man in Bronxville, New York, former Municipal Court Judge William Olsen, had listened to a great deal of bemoaning over the sad state of elders, at a recent panel discussion which we attended, when he decided to stand up and say a few things for himself. These were his words:

"The younger generation is viewing the older generation as curios, people to be isolated, to be studied, researched—and as a group who are generally worn out, not fit for much else but a few funny stories and baby-sitting.

What Youth Lacks

"I'd like to say that the only thing we old people are suffering from are the frustrations, confusions, and inadequacies left over from that overrated period of life called youth. Sure, youth has aggressiveness and maybe a little more vitality—but not much else. We think youth leaves a lot to be desired. Youth lacks experience, poise, wit, depth, judgment, and maturity—all of which come with increasing age.

ner rather than a demanding acquirer, he truly says "Yes" to life.

At the age of 95, Edward J. Aiken, a retired minister living in Elgin, Illinois, declared, "I have learned patience and forbearance. I have become more charitable in my criticism of others. I have learned—almost when to speak and when to keep silent. The frost of time has mellowed my countenance and softened my voice. I now see more happy faces under white locks than under those of deeper hue. I have stopped worrying."

A great woman of the arts, of another century, George Sand, the French novelist, wrote on her 64th birthday, July 5, 1868: "I have, though how I do not know, acquired much wisdom."

God's Plan

Many an elder has felt the same. Wiser, yes. But whence did the wisdom come?

Was there something built into life's processes which somehow escaped us? Did wisdom grow as miraculously upon us as life itself came to our bodies from a mother's ovum, and as growth came to those bodies, and sight to our eyes, thought to our brains?

To the poet Robert Browning, the wisdom of age was as much a part of God's plan as the energies of youth. In "Rabbi Ben Ezra," he wrote: "Youth ended, I shall try 'My gain or loss thereby; 'Leave the fire ashes, what survives is gold: 'And I shall weigh the same. 'Give life its praise or blame:

He had passed his 70th birth-

'The Important Thing Is to Live Life Out'

"Young, all taw in dispute; I shall know, being old." "I shall know, being old"—a line to remember.

Kept Busy

In the course of our material gathering, we met scores of older men and women who in the richness of their years had achieved a parallel richness of wisdom. We have selected a few nuggets from the storehouse of one of them to pass along to you:

Henry Noble McCracken was in his 80th year when we met him. He had spent 30 years of his professional life as president of Vassar College, retiring from that post in 1945. But in the 15 years which followed he was as busy as ever, first serving as head of the Conference of Christians and Jews, and later turning to the writing of history.

Said Dr. McCracken, "The important thing is to live life out. Suppose the trees decided to give up the ghost early in summer? Suppose they just gave up and decided to drop all their leaves during the summertime? Consider all the beautiful tints of green and growing they would miss out on. And look at all the pleasure of which they'd deprive the rest of us!"

Dr. McCracken, during his own years of formal education, had graduated from New York University and taken graduate education at Harvard and then later at Oxford. But to him learning did not stop with diplomas.

He had passed his 70th birth-

day when he embarked on his career as a writer, turning out anecdotal histories of Old New York and carefully researched historical volumes on the role of Dutchess County, New York, in the American Revolution.

More Sympathy

"I'm older and wiser, now. I have much more sympathy now than I used to. I know the many mistakes I myself made, and therefore I have much more tolerance for other people's mistakes."

As to old age generally, Dr. McCracken observed, "I believe that exercise of the mind is essential to enjoying one's later years. One can do a great deal in the way of self-education."

Dr. McCracken concluded, "My wife and I both think our old age has been pretty wonderful—but it didn't just happen that way. In order to keep young, we've cultivated new ideas, learned about new things. In order to stay really alive, we've kept drinking from the waters of life; we have surrounded ourselves with life; we are living life out."

NEXT: A better old age for you.

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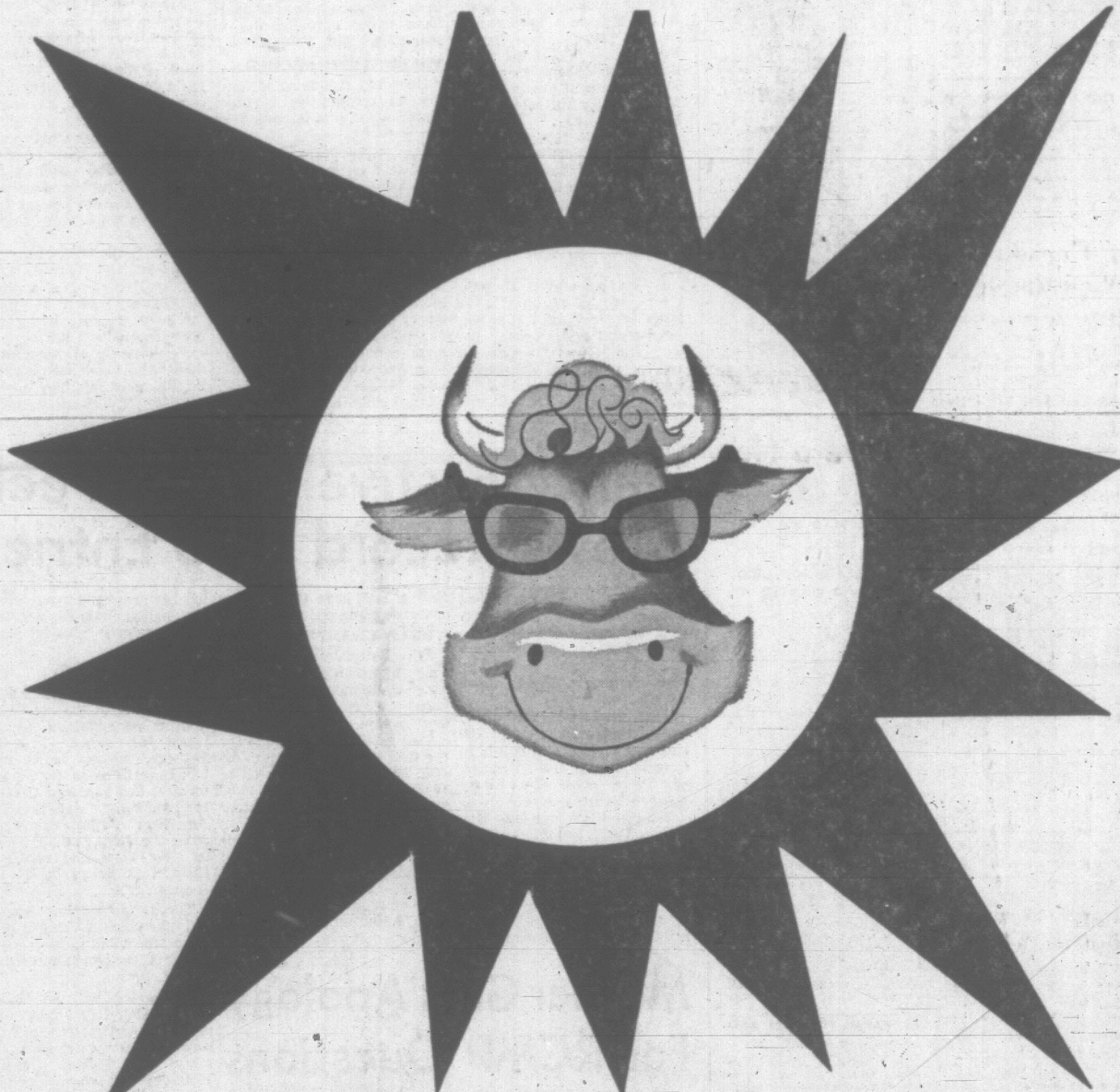
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\$50 MONTHLY B.C. Gov't Deputies Get Boosts

The B.C. government has given deputy ministers a \$50 a month raise, and other top civil servants increases in line with general salary boosts awarded in February.

Included in the pay boosts are the four members of the Public Utilities Commission: Chairman Dr. H. F. Angus, former labor minister Lyle Wicks, A. B. Jackson and Percy E. George.

Dr. Angus will get \$15,000 a year instead of \$14,600 and the other three \$12,480 instead of \$12,000.

BENEFICIARIES

Deputy ministers who will now get \$1,250 a month instead of \$1,200 include:

Deputy attorney-general Dr. Gilbert Kennedy; lands deputy E. W. Bassett; education deputy Dr. J. F. K. English; finance deputy G. S. Bryson; forests deputy R. G. McKee; highways deputy Tom Mlard; mental health deputy Dr. Allan Davidson; deputy health minister Dr. J. Taylor and deputy minister of hospital insurance D. M. Cox.

Civil service commissioner Dr. H. M. Morrison, superannuation commission William Forrest and Comptroller-General C. J. Ferber also get the same raise.

Deputies who go from \$1,100 a month to \$1,150 are:

Agriculture deputy W. McGillivray; transport deputy A. J. Bowering; trade deputy T. L. Sturgess; labor deputy William Sande; mines deputy P. J. Mulcahy; municipal deputy J. E. Brown; works deputy Arnold Webb; recreation deputy D. B. Turner; social welfare deputy E. R. Rickinson; water resources deputy A. F. Paget and deputy provincial secretary L. J. Wallace.

Rites Thursday For Well-Known Poultry Farmer

Funeral services will be held at Hayward's Chapel, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m., for Edwin Charles Gillingham, a well-known poultry farmer on Vancouver Island, who died here Tuesday. He was 70 years old.

Rev. T. D. B. Bang will officiate.

Born in Centralia, Washington, Mr. Gillingham came to Victoria 15 years ago, and operated the Morningside Fruit and Poultry Farm on Arbutus Road. He had about 18,000 chickens and shipped eggs to all parts of the Island.

He also owned one of the few remaining large commercial apple orchards on Vancouver Island.

Before moving to Vancouver Island he was chief accountant for the Howe Sound Co. at its Britannia Beach copper mine.

He is survived by the widow, at home; one son, Jack T. Clemson, South Carolina; two daughters, Mrs. D. L. Fairweather, Vancouver, and Mrs. J. K. Jones, Portland, Oregon; ten grandchildren; also one brother and three sisters.

NDP Leader Promises New Deal for Indians

NORTH BATTLEFORD, Sask. (CP) — T. C. Douglas, national leader of the New Democratic Party, said Tuesday night a NDP government would scrap the present Indian Act and draft a new one, "based on right and justice."

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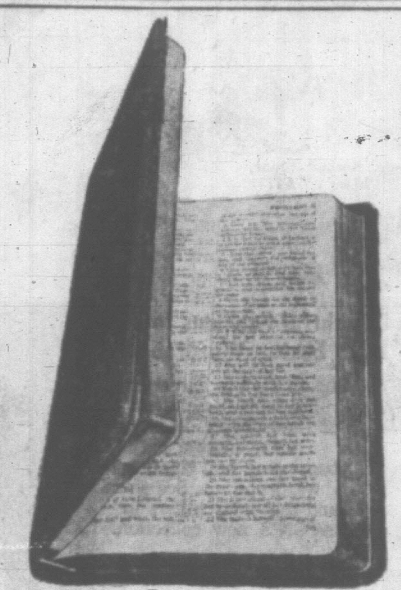
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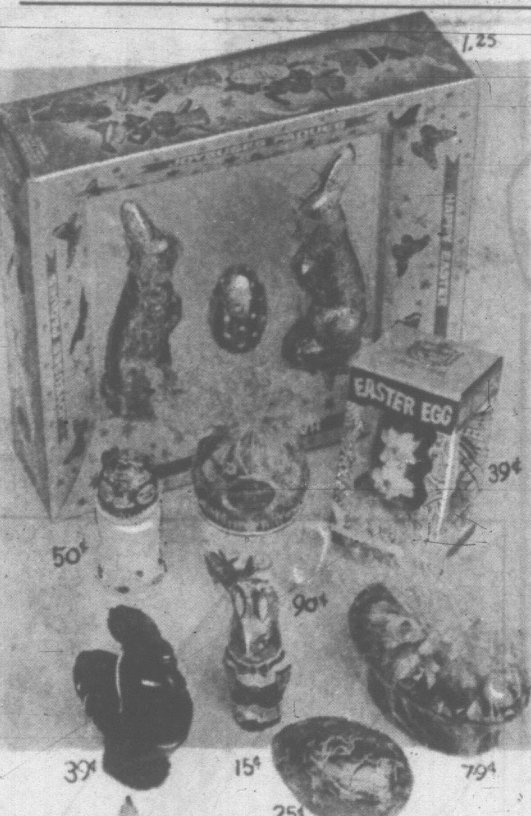
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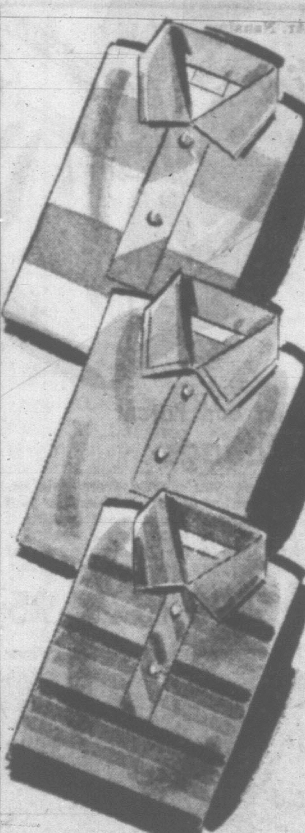
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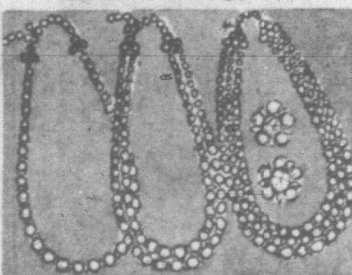
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'Come Unto These Yellow Sands'—and Cool Off

CLOTHES came off with a rush Wednesday as temperatures in Victoria shot up to 69 degrees—one of the highest ever recorded for April 18. These pictures taken at Willows Beach by Times reporter-photographer John Bassett catch the spirit of early summer with (1) Karl Loeschnick, 516 Trutch

Street, rubbing tan oil into the back of his wife, Ina; (2) Dominic Borrelli, 2½, of 2160 Haultain, giving his new bikini a whirl; (3) Victoria College student Carolyn Maysmith, 18, Lynda Bishop, 18, and Margaret Clark, 18, working against a background of seascapes and music; (4) Pat Scott, 19,

pulling Jancis Fulton, 18, out of the water after she tripped and fell. It was still warmer elsewhere. Kamloops recorded a high of 84 degrees, Port Alberni 75, Vancouver 72. But it was generally cooler today. Victoria temperatures dropped to around 60 at noon, with sunny-cloudy weather ex-

pected to continue Good Friday and Saturday. Southwesterly winds of between 15 and 20 miles per hour are likely and there may be showers Friday night. The outlook for Sunday is uncertain, but Weatherman Bill Mackie is hopeful more sunshine is on the way.

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Medical Care Plan Unveiled By Liberals

OTTAWA (CP)—A proposed medical care plan described by Party Leader Pearson as a "major social advance" was unveiled today by the Liberal party.

Gov.-Gen. Proclaims Gov't End

By ALEX YOUNG
Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Canada's 24th parliament came to its formal end today and politicians began fanning out across the nation in their quest for support in the June 18 federal election.

Only a handful of MPs remained on Parliament Hill, winding up their affairs, as Prime Minister John Diefenbaker took off shortly after noon for Quebec City to get dissolution of parliament from Governor-General George Vanier.

The prime minister advised His Excellency he wanted dissolution and the issuance of writs for a June 18 general election.

The governor-general signed the proclamation at 2:26 p.m., E.S.T., ending the life of the 24th parliament, and affixed the great seal. He also approved orders-in-council setting the election date and ordering return of the writs.

The last sitting of the election-tense 24th parliament ended at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday. (See page 3.)

REPETITION OF '58

Diefenbaker's trip to the Citadel today is a repetition of the way he dissolved parliament before his overwhelming victory in the 1958 campaign.

The prime minister's charge that he was forced into dissolution by opposition "obstruction" is viewed skeptically by most observers here.

The opposition argument that it was simply doing its job is generally regarded as a fair assessment. The consensus is that Diefenbaker's obstruction charge was no more than a gimmick to permit him to give some reason for dissolution.

The program would provide doctor and diagnostic services free to large numbers of Canadians including children up to age 16, most retired people, and the unemployed.

For the rest of the population, there would be a "low" basic annual level above which medical expenses would be paid by the federal treasury.

A Liberal government would call a Dominion-provincial conference to discuss implementation of the plan.

There will also be the "closest consultation" with the medical profession, said Mr. Pearson in a statement.

If everyone joined the plan, the cost to the federal treasury would be "somewhat over \$300,000,000 in the first year," said a pamphlet outlining the Liberal program.

"This will not mean any large burden on the economy, because people and corporations are paying most of the costs in one way and another now. In an expanding economy we can afford the extra costs for better health care."

OPTION EXISTS

Anyone who wishes to make his own arrangements would be free to do so.

For all others, the plan will cover doctor bills "above a low annual cost."

There will be no charge to anyone who does not go to a doctor.

"Liberal action will take fear out of health costs," said the pamphlet. "The maximum amount of doctor bills that anyone will be required to pay will be small; but it will be a safeguard against unreasonable demands for attention."

"How these payments are made will be arranged in agreement with the provinces. They will be designed to cover rather less than a half of the total cost of medical care."

The federal government would pay the rest of the cost from general revenue.

The plan outlined today is in line with resolutions adopted at the national Liberal convention in 1959—at which Mr. Pearson was chosen leader—and again at the party's national rally in 1961.

COMMONWEALTH MEET FIXED FOR SEPT. 10

LONDON (Reuters)—Prime Minister Macmillan today announced Sept. 10 as the date of the long-awaited Commonwealth prime ministers' conference to discuss the vital question of Britain's entry into the Common Market.

He told the Commons the market issue will be "the main purpose of the meeting, although we shall of course make our normal review of world affairs."

In Ottawa, Prime Minister Diefenbaker said he was "very pleased" because by that time, Britain's negotiations with the six market nations should have reached a decisive point.

SEATTLE IN A DITHER

Everything Is 'Go' For Fair Launching

SEATTLE (AP)—Today is Fair Day minus 2. And if there's any question in your mind about the importance of the next few hours, you ought to see the activity on the grounds of the Seattle World's Fair.

There's a blue of motion as a workman finishes planting rhododendrons near the phytarium.

"We were supposed to be done by March 15," muttered Roy Davidson, as he popped a plant into a hole and moved on. "We'd plant something. Then someone would come along, dig it up and put a pipeline under it. That's why we're working nights."

Will the planting be done in time for Saturday's gala opening?

"Oh, sure," he said. "There's no doubt about that."

In front of the Thailand exhibit, a young man named Charangsee Elumopas slapped layers of wet plaster on a statue of a Thai temple guard.

"Will the statue be completed?"

"I don't think we'll have any problem," was the reply. In the fashion pavilion, a group of models rehearsed. Will they be ready?

As one of their instructors put it, "We're in great shape."

The fair will not open officially until noon Saturday when President Kennedy taps an historic gold key at his Easter vacation headquarters in Palm Beach, Fla.

That will set the restaurant atop the 600-foot space needle revolving, turn on the 100-foot-high international fountain, start the 538 bells of the world's largest carillon pealing and put 20 rides in the gateway section in action.

'Best Buy Ever,' Says Bennett

VANCOUVER (CP)—Premier Bennett said today he believes the new \$25,000,000 bond issue of the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority is the best issue ever put on the market "at this or any other time."

The premier was addressing some 400 bankers, brokers and other financial men he invited to a breakfast meeting to acquaint them with details of the new issue which goes on sale Tuesday.

Co-director of the authority, Dr. Gordon Shrum told the financial men he believed the authority could give the people power "at the lowest possible cost."

ONE UNIT

Unlike power setups in the United States and elsewhere where various companies handled various phases, the new B.C. authority would have charge of generation, transmission, and distribution of power for almost the entire province.

Dr. H. L. Keenleyside, the other co-chairman of the Authority, said that even with the recently announced lower power rates by the Authority the former B.C. Power Commission phase of the new operation would have a profit of "four, five or six hundred thousand dollars" in the next fiscal year.

The \$25,000,000 from the bond issue will be used to refund outstanding notes of the Authority.

The bonds were issued by the new British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority, and represent the first long-term financing the province has done since their takeover of the B.C. Electric Company Limited last summer.

A few weeks ago British Columbia Premier W. A. C. Bennett went to New York to discuss loans of about \$900,000,000 needed for the Peace River power project. Sources there said the United States underwriters were not interested.

Gov't Wins Round On BCE Takeover



RECALLED

The Soviet Union recalled Marshal Ivan Koniev from command of Soviet troops in East Germany and assigned him to a new Moscow command today in a possible Kremlin effort to diminish tension over Berlin.

WIRE BRIEFS

Finn Wins Marathon

BOSTON (CP)—Finland's Eino Oksanen, after a rugged battle over the early miles, won the 66th annual Boston marathon today.

Tshombe Goes Home

ELISABETHVILLE (AP)—President Moise Tshombe flew into Elisabethville today after United Nations soldiers with fixed bayonets deployed against Congo government troops who had prevented his departure from Leopoldville for 24 hours.

Immigration Curb

LONDON (Reuters)—Home Secretary R. A. Butler today announced that the British government will begin controlling immigration from Commonwealth countries July 1.

Coolies Build Road

VIENTIANE, Laos (UPI)—Thousands of Chinese coolies have entered Laos to build the first highway linking the jungle kingdom with Red China, it was reported today.

Leftists Rounded Up

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters)—Police began a roundup of labor and left-wing student leaders today after the armed forces demanded action by the Argentine government of President Jose Maria Guido against supporters of ex-dictator Juan Peron.

Appeal Court Order Quashes Receivership

VANCOUVER (CP)—The British Columbia Court of Appeal, in a split decision today upheld the appeal of the B.C. government against a Supreme Court order placing the B.C. Electric in receivership and freezing the assets of the utility.

BCE, the giant privately-owned power company taken over by the provincial government last August, was placed in receivership by the Supreme Court March 22 on the application of its former sole parent, B.C. Power Corporation.

It was the first court victory for the provincial government and its BCE entity in court litigation with the B.C. Power Corporation.

Dr. Harry Purdy, its former president, was given power to guard assets estimated at \$800,000,000. Since then BCE has been merged by the government with B.C. Power Commission into a single entity known as the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority.

APPEALED ORDER

The BCE and the attorney-general of the province appealed the receivership-freezing order more than two weeks ago.

The decision of the five-man Appeal Court today was split, with Mr. Justice T. G. Norris and Mr. Justice C. W. Tysoe dissenting.

The decision means that pending any further legal action, Mr. Purdy ceases to be receiver of the assets of the former BCE Company and the assets now are freed.

B.C. Power said there would be no appeal against today's decision.

The development was the latest in a series of court battles between the government and B.C. Power Corporation.

Two Trapped In Gold Mine

KIRKLAND LAKE, Ont.

Two men were trapped early today in a rockburst deep in the Macassa gold mine here. Miners were digging frantically to find the men. They were trapped in a small tunnel below the 4,200-foot level and it was not known whether they were alive or dead.

The two men were identified as Russell Baskin, 34, and Ryszard Witczak, 38.

PILGRIMS GATHER IN JERUSALEM

JERUSALEM (AP)—Hundreds of Christian pilgrims flocked to Jerusalem today to celebrate Easter in the ancient walled city where Christ was crucified and resurrected.

Turbaned Copts from Egypt and Greek Cypriots mixed with American and European tourists outside the Church of the Holy Sepulchre—the most hallowed spot in Christendom.

EMBEZZLER PAYS DIVIDEND TO BANK

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A bank teller embezzled \$78,400, won a big lottery, then confessed and paid the bank back too much money. A Sydney court was told Wednesday.

John Corcoran, 25, pleaded guilty to embezzling and will be sentenced later. His lawyer told the court this story:

Corcoran took the money from the bank at various times and lost it playing the horses and greyhounds. He covered the embezzlement so well that the bank knew nothing until he won \$224,000 in a government lottery and confessed. The prosecution said he gave the bank \$85,120 for good measure.

Crackdown Urged On Oil Companies

OTTAWA (CP)—Service station retail practices by some oil companies should be countered through amendments to the Combines Investigation Act, said a report of the Restrictive Trade Practices Commission made public today.

Some arrangements cannot "be economically justified in terms of benefit to the public," it said. They created a "cost-increasing tendency."

"There should . . . be a prohibition of exclusive dealing and tying arrangements . . . which are likely to lessen competition substantially, tend to create a monopoly or exclude competitors from a market to a significant degree."

The report dealt with an inquiry into distribution and sale of automotive oils, greases, anti-freeze, additives, tires, batteries, accessories and related products.

A public hearing here last September followed an investigation into the situation started by the commission.

Evidence before the commission from retail and supply spokesmen said that some service stations are restricted by oil companies in the brand of accessories they can offer the public.

Justice Minister Fulton, in a statement accompanying the report today, said its recommendations would receive "careful study and consideration."

Three specific practices were under scrutiny.

One is called "full-line forcing," under which a supplier such as an oil company agrees to sell or lease a commodity to the buyer—in this case a service station—on condition that a full line of other items is accepted.

Another is called directed buying. A supplier agrees to sell or lease a commodity on condition that the buyer takes another sales item from a source specified by the seller.

The third arrangement is the market-access agreement under which an oil company would obtain accessories for its service stations from a selected supplier in exchange for a special commission on all such sales made to those service stations.

Said today's report: "It is clear that the power of an oil company to increase the rental of a leased (service) station at the end of the relative lease on short notice, places it in a strong position to induce or persuade a reluctant dealer to follow a distribution policy acceptable to the oil company."

It also dealt with a submission by oil companies regarding practices for leased or financially-assisted retail outlets.

Survey of Doctors Called 'Misleading'

REGINA (CP)—Premier Woodrow Lloyd, Health Minister W. G. Davies and Donald D. Tansley, chairman of the Saskatchewan medical care insurance commission, said today they doubt the reliability of a newspaper survey of how many doctors plan to leave the province when the compulsory medical care plan goes into effect July 1.

Mr. Tansley said in a prepared statement the report of the survey was "nothing short of misleading." The questions were "leading and loaded."

He accused the Regina Leader-Post of initiating "misinformation and outright hysteria."

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OL' VIC SAYS:
Guess th' best y' e'd say of th' Parliament list ended is that y' had t' hev th' 24th b'fore y' kin hev th' 25th.
Looks like University Way flunked its examination.
Mister Bennett seems t' think: th' lower th' toll th' better th' poll.

THIS DAY IN VICTORIA - 1862

APRIL 19
The Grand Jury found Aime Marchand (see April 7 et seq.) guilty on two counts, of selling goods (namely, gold dust and gold ingots) deposited for a special purpose, and obtaining money under false pretences.
Some scoundrel performed the dastardly act of splashing black paint over the coat-of-arms of the United States outside the consul's office.
William Rothwell, Esquimaux, was arrested for beating his wife after she fell and broke her leg whilst trying to escape his drunken rage.



Crowds Greet Destroyers After Long Orient Cruise

By MONTE ROBERTS

Leading three RCN Pacific Command destroyers home from a 25,000-mile cruise at 10 a.m. today, HMCS Assiniboine flew a paying-off pennant almost twice the length of the ship.

Senior ship of the Second Canadian Escort Squadron Assiniboine will be withdrawn from commission for extensive modernization, including installation of variable-depth sonar gear and a landing deck for a helicopter.

She will be the first of the St. Laurent class destroyers to be converted under the navy's modernization program.

TRIALS COMPLETED

Trials of the VDS have been completed by HMCS St. Laurent. Capt. Victor Browne, commander of the Second, will move with his staff to HMCS Fraser when Assiniboine is taken out of commission.

The cruise which ended today took three and one half months and ranged across the Pacific to Asiatic ports and a full scale exercise with more than 50 ships of Commonwealth navies.

It was the first time Canada had provided ships for a Commonwealth exercise, and all Commonwealth navies were represented.

Purpose of the training routine, Capt. Browne said today, was to have a force in readiness for use if called upon through United Nations commitments.

FIRST IN MEMORY

It is the first peacetime exercise of this nature I can remember," said the veteran naval officer. "Everything we did was in the book—but for nearly every officer and man it was the first chance to see the book in action."

Aircraft carriers, cruisers, destroyers, minesweepers and fleet maintenance ships were involved in the exercise, which fanned out across the whole breadth of the Indian Ocean.

One of the features, Capt. Browne said, was ship replenishment under way, when ships were not only re-fueled, but stores and a munition brought up to capacity.

All aspects of naval warfare, including rigging for nuclear

fallout, were practised, with the exception of amphibious landings.

The second highlight of the long voyage, according to Capt. Browne, was a workout with a U.S. carrier task force, proceeding from San Diego to Hawaii, thence to Midway. The Canadian ships were among 29 destroyers in the screening force, and Capt. Browne served his turn as screening force commander.



CAPT. VICTOR BROWNE ... move to Fraser

HMCS FRASER OPEN TO PUBLIC

The destroyer escort HMCS Fraser of the Second Canadian Escort Squadron will be open to the public on Good Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday from 1.30 to 4.15 p.m.

The Fraser will be berthed at a Canadian Pacific Jetty in the Inner Harbor which can be reached from the junction of Oswego and Belleville Streets.

"The public is cordially invited to see

over the ship, but cameras are forbidden for security reasons," an RCN spokesman said.

This is the second of a series of "open houses" to be held aboard RCN ships between now and Sept. 3.

Fraser moved to her Inner Harbor berth from Esquimalt this afternoon, and will be dressed overall in signal flags for the weekend.

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Girl Molester Suspect in Jail

BY HAL JONES

After months of intensive investigation Saanich police have taken into custody a man they believe is behind a wave of sex offences against young girls that has plagued the area since last year.

Although nearly all Greater Victoria police forces were involved at one stage or another in the investigations, the brunt of the work fell in Saanich.

The matter first came to their attention in November, 1961, when a mother complained her young daughter had been approached by a stranger and offered a lift, al-

though she had not been molested.

Since then 22 separate complaints were made of young girls between the ages of eight and 11 years being either approached or molested. Parents of about half-a-dozen girls claimed their daughters had been indecently assaulted.

Near-Panic When Police Issue Warning

The situation reached near-panic proportions in early February when the volume of complaints forced police to issue a warning to children—through the schools—against accepting car rides from strangers.

The suspect seldom changed his method of operations. He would sit in an old model car near a store and wait for a girl to come out. Then he would drive up and ask her to get into the car and show him the way to a drug store.

In some cases he offered the girl 50 cents or a dollar to show him the way.

Once the girl was in the car he would drive to a secluded spot and assault her.

Detectives began to suspect

one man in particular towards the end of January and from then on he was kept under constant observation. Although he was seen to approach a number of youngsters he committed no actual offences while being watched.

Alleged Offender Held In Colwood Burglary

But constant police supervision led to the man being charged with breaking and entering in Colwood RCMP recently and while in custody he is said to have made statements about a number of the sex offences police had been investigating.

His 1947 model car also was seized.

All through the investigation police were hampered

through lack of witnesses and the fact that the young girls involved had difficulty in giving an accurate description of the man.

Saanich police anticipate laying more than a dozen charges, including five morals charges. It is understood further charges will be laid by other police departments.

The suspect was due to appear in Saanich police court this afternoon.

Cruise Ship To Call Here Regularly

Another Century 21 "fringe ben-fit" for Victoria was revealed today with the announcement that a cruise ship will make regular sailings throughout the summer from San Francisco to Seattle, with stops inbound and outbound at Ogden Point.

Sa. Yarmouth will spend part of a day in port here en her way to Seattle and also on her way back, with several hours allowed each day for shopping and sightseeing tours.

FIRST TRIP MAY 8

First cruise leaves San Francisco May 8, arriving in Victoria May 12. The ship will lay over at Seattle for three days and four nights, the passengers living aboard, and will pay a second visit to Victoria May 16.

The Yarmouth accommodates 401 passengers, and is normally in service in the West Indies. She has been chartered for the summer by a group of Seattle businessmen.

Plane Locates Missing Boat In Cordova Bay

A search and rescue plane was dispatched from Vancouver early today following a report of a boat missing while travelling between Oak Bay and Sidney.

The plane found the 22-foot two-masted boat in Cordova Bay—safe and sound.

L. F. Dawes, 2290 Dolphin, left Oak Bay at about 2.30 p.m. Wednesday to take the boat to Sidney for an overhaul. On the way the engine failed and the lack of wind prevented Mr. Dawes from raising sail.

He apparently drifted around most of the night and eventually went ashore this morning in Cordova Bay.

Mrs. Dawes notified Sidney RCMP Wednesday night when her husband failed to arrive home.

Was, Is, Will Be Foul Bay

Oak Bay council Wednesday night once again began to battle with the thorny problem of changing Foul Bay Road to University Way, got bogged down in a mass of proposals and counter-proposals and eventually gave up.

So—for the time being at any rate—University Way is out and Foul Bay Road remains.

"I'm sick of the whole thing," said Coun. Allan Cox during the muddled discussions.

"I think we should drop it," advised Reeve George Murdoch and the others tacitly complied.

First there was a letter from Mr. and Mrs. John L. Rimmington of 3372 Henderson Road who stated their opposition to any change in the name of their road and suggested, if necessary, Cedar Hill Cross Road would be a better choice to name "University Avenue."

'AVENUE' WANTED

Coun. John Watts, backed the choice of Cedar Hill Cross Road as the street most suitable for a name change and said the word "Way" was a misnomer. Any new street name should be "University Avenue," he said.

Then came suggestions that only part of the Foul Bay-Henderson-Finnerty complex be changed to University Way.

Reeve Murdoch scotched this on the grounds the post office didn't like only half a road to have different addresses.

Coun. Fred Robinson suggested that all three roads be renamed University Drive. He didn't get a second.

"I'll second it for you if you like," muttered Coun. Cox.

"I don't really care," said Mr. Robinson.

After this the fount of suggestions seemed to dry up.

"Let this be a lesson to you if council should try to change anything," Coun. Cox said.

CHARMER GREETERS NAMED

Flower Pipe Song for City's Visitors

Two young misses will add color and gaiety to the welcome being arranged for visitors to Victoria in the city's centennial year.

Winsome Risha Colby, 15, of 453 Quebec, has been selected from a number of applicants to act as Centennial Flower Girl and piper Lona Donaldson, 3132 Davin, will again play visitors ashore from ferries arriving at the inner harbor.

Starting in mid-May, Risha—sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce Tourist Trade Group and the Centennial Society—will hand out flowers around the inner harbor while dressed in authentic 1862 costume.

The costume will be made by Mrs. Margaret Hall. Her flowers will be supplied through co-operation of wholesale and retail merchants in the area.

At a number of projects throughout the summer funds will be allocated to a "Flower Girl Scholarship" which will help her toward a college education.

Miss Golby is a scholarship student both at school and at the Vivian Briggs dance studio. She is a member of the Victoria Theatre Guild, Fantasy Theatre, the Church of Our Lord Choir and L'Alliance Francaise de Victoria.

Miss Donaldson, also sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, will take up her welcoming post at the docks for the summer when she starts her school holidays and will pipe visitors ashore from both the CPR steamers and the Coho.

She will be on hand to welcome the first boat from Seattle when the summer service resumes April 27.

Walter Dods, chairman of the chamber's tourist industry group, today appealed to the Victoria business community for contributions to the "Piper Fund."

He noted that the year would be a banner one for

tourists arriving by ship from the U.S., and that it was fitting the whole community should contribute to support a colorful welcome for the visitors.



LONA DONALDSON ... shore piper

... HERE ... AND THERE

With NORMAN CRIBBENS

When is a city too big to live in?

When you have to spend an hour travelling to work ... two hours to get to a beach and four hours to a fished-out stream where you may catch an under-sized trout.

So says Henry X. Borge, 2610 Rock Bay Avenue, who has lived in New York, Los Angeles and Vancouver and now calls Victoria his home.

"I was born and raised in New York. But I wanted to get away from crowds. So I went out to Los Angeles. Then the city mushroomed out in all directions.

"I went to Vancouver and the same thing happened there. It was the old rat-race I'd been trying to escape from—so I moved to Victoria and here I intend to stay."

Isn't Victoria growing, too?

"Yes," says Mr. Borge, "but only in one direction. It will reach out to Sidney and new industries will spring up along the Pat Bay Highway. But the city of Victoria is limited geographically. Ultimately I think it will be a centre for civil servants and university students."

Maybe that is what Mayor R. B. Wilson had in mind when he told American delegates to the three-day annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Power Association: "Come back here when Seattle gets so crowded you can't breathe!"

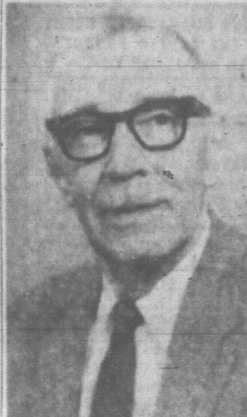
And talking of big cities ...

Peter Howitt, the London artist who designed the grisly settings for the Chamber of Horrors at the Royal London Wax Museum, tells me he explored dingy bookshops on Charing Cross Road in search of historic detail.

"Some of these shops contain such unsavory literature you get dirty looks when you are seen in them," he said. Mr. Howitt spends much of the year painting huge backdrops for color movies, from a moving platform suspended by pulleys from the ceiling.

In this fashion he painted the giant seascape that was used in the MGM production of the whaling classic Moby Dick.

floats above crowd of 1,825 relatives and friends who entered HMC Dockyard today to bid welcome after 25,000-mile cruise to Indian Ocean.



DR. GEOFFREY GILBERT ... over the top

ST. JOSEPH'S FUND CLIMBS

St. Joseph's Hospital building fund went over the \$100,000 mark today and campaign officials were confident the drive would pick up momentum as canvassers reached corporations and special names divisions.

Campaign official Maurice Cownden reported \$103,000 already donated or pledged to the Greater Victoria canvass which has a goal of \$350,000.

A lunch meeting of business and civic leaders today at 12.30 p.m. in the Union Club was expected to result in further "sizeable" donations.

'Home Folks' Boost Red Cross Campaign

By IAIN HUNTER

The largest division of the Red Cross fund drive for 1962 has gone over the top, officials announced today.

The residential division, which accounts for 60 per cent of the \$79,000 objectives for the Victoria area, has surpassed its own quota of \$39,000. Volunteer canvassers have been making the rounds since the beginning of March have collected a total of \$39,267 from private houses all over Greater Victoria, Salt-spring Island, and Sooke. This brings the total collected

so far to \$77,711—98.3 per cent of the overall objective.

At the head of this massive organization is Dr. Geoffrey Gilbert. For the past three years he has been co-chairman of the residential appeal with Mrs. Gilbert. This year, however, his wife has had to hand him her share of the burden as well for health reasons.

Dr. Gilbert's responsibility includes the selection of group chairman who in turn recruit district "captains" who choose their own canvassers. Such is his devotion to the Red Cross cause, however, that this year he took on the captainship of two of the largest districts himself and canvassed some 900 houses on his own.

Through long experience in this work, he has found that he can get the best reception in the morning. But he tries to hold off until after 10 a.m. At this hour the average housewife is more aesthetically agreeable as well as more charitably inclined, he said.

He has been impressed by the number of people in Victoria who contribute even though they may not be able to afford it.

BACK ON PAYDAY

"There are many who have told me quite honestly that they have no money during the week, but if I were to come back on payday they would be glad to contribute. I have gone back on those occasions and they have proved most generous," he said.

He feels that his success has been due to the "terrible backlog of good will" which the Red Cross enjoys.

Many have had personal experience with the services which the organization supplies. Such was the case of the young mother who said she would not be alive today if it were not for the Red Cross free blood transfusion

five-day-old baby had undergone an open-heart operation, using many pints of blood, had proved one of his most successful canvassers.

MET WITH GRUDGE

Dr. Gilbert has only once come close to being thrown out, and only once met a man who had a grudge against the Red Cross.

"This man who had run out of money while on leave in London during the First World War considered himself a casualty of the first magnitude, and couldn't understand why the Red Cross would not lend him money."

Other divisions which cover business, industry, the services and hotels have yet to reach their quota. But campaign officials, with the greater part of the goal realized are confident that the 1962 drive will be a success.

Provincial headquarters have announced that 73.73 of the B.C. quota has been reached.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

A 17-year-old youth today was sentenced to nine months definite and six months indefinite at the young offenders' unit after he pleaded guilty in city and Oak Bay police courts to six charges of theft and one of breaking and entering.

Lewis Patrick Stevens, 1922 Leighton, admitted stealing a car, a car radio, a sweater, pistol, wrist watch and wallet and breaking into an Oak Bay grocery store.

"You are still a young man," Magistrate William Ostler told him.

"But instead of being a help and comfort to your mother who is doing her best for you under difficult circumstances you are getting into trouble and making her lot more difficult."

The 28-piece brass and reed band of the 5th (B.C.) Independent Medium Battery RCA will give a public concert of classical and popular music Sunday evening in the Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall. It will begin at 8.45 p.m.

evening will be Canon R. E. H. Howell, the Battery's Protestant padre.

Provincial government offices will be closed from 5 p.m. today to 8.30 a.m. Tuesday for the Easter holidays.

Civil servants will get the full long weekend with Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday off.

The same goes for civic and municipal workers.

The provincial museum will open all day Saturday, Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. and all day Monday.

The Victoria Public Library will be closed Friday and Monday but open Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A prayer, praise and thanksgiving service will be held Tuesday at 7.45 p.m. by the Victoria and District British Israel Association in the Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street.

An inquest into the traffic death, April 6—of 77-year-old Allan Pynn, 3960 Cedar Hill Cross Road, was adjourned today to Tuesday pending finding of witnesses.

Police urged anyone seeing the accident at Douglas near Summit when a car driven by a 17-year-old girl collided with the pedestrian to come forward.

The inquest, which opened at 10 a.m. in Sands Mortuary, will resume Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the same location.

"B" group of the junior branch of the Victoria Natural History Society will meet on Saturday at 1.30 p.m. at the Monterey parking lot for a field trip to the "Panhandle" off Munn Road.

ASK THE TIMES

Q. Who has won the most Oscars? L.C.H.

A. Walt Disney has won more "Oscars"—awards of the United States Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, instituted in 1929—than any other person. His total is 25 since 1931.

Q. Since paintings seem to cause so much controversy in this cultured city of ours could you please tell me when man first began to dabble with color? S.H.K.

A. The Stag's Head, a finger painting, is likely one of the earliest yet found. Located in the La Pileta Cave at Benaojan, Spain, it belongs to the Upper Palaeolithic period 30,000 to 15,000 B.C. Also belonging to this period are ceiling paintings in the Pech-Merle Cave at Lot, France.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

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BULLETINS

Bomb Blamed In Ship Disaster

LONDON (AP)—An official inquiry into the sinking of the liner Dara with loss of 238 lives in the Persian Gulf a year ago said today that a planted bomb "almost certainly" caused the disaster. The finds of an admiralty court were that it was practically certain the explosive — of a type used in anti-tank mines — was "deliberately placed by a person or persons unknown."

'Throw Debris and Get Thrown Out'

TORONTO (UPD)—The Toronto Maple Leafs today had a warning for any Leaf fans who might try to simulate Chicago's debris-throwing fans when the Hawks play here tonight.

Leaf executive vice-president Harold Ballard said, "Anyone caught throwing things on the ice ... will be asked to leave."

Furniture Firms Fined In Price-Fix

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—Eight major manufacturers of metal office furniture were fined a total of \$220,000 in federal district court today after pleading no contest to charges of conspiracy to fix prices and eliminate competition in the \$114,000,000-a-year American industry.

Prisoners Threaten Killer Suspect

(See story, Page 14)

TORONTO (CP)—Police brought Gary McCorkell, 19, into court separately from other prisoners today and assigned him a cell by himself following reports that other prisoners were threatening to attack him. McCorkell is charged with capital murder in the slaying of two young boys Wednesday night.

Japanese Fishermen Freed on Bail

KODIAK, Alaska (AP)—Three Japanese fishing captains were released today under bail on condition their fleet leave Shelikof Strait within five days.

A trial is to be held in Anchorage at a date still to be set.

Medical Care
Plan Unveiled
By Liberals

OTTAWA (CP)—A proposed medical care plan described by Party Leader Pearson as a "major social advance" was unveiled today by the Liberal Party.

The program would provide doctor and diagnostic services free to large numbers of Canadians including children up to age 16, most retired people, and the unemployed.

For the rest of the population, there would be a "low" basic annual level above which medical expenses would be paid by the federal treasury.

A Liberal government would call a Dominion-provincial conference to discuss implementation of the plan.

There will also be the "closest consultation" with the medical profession, said Mr. Pearson in a statement.

If everyone joined the plan,

the cost to the federal treasury would be "somewhat over \$200,000,000 in the first year," said a pamphlet outlining the Liberal program.

"This will not mean any large burden on the economy, because people and corporations are paying most of the cost: in one way and another now. In an expanding economy we can afford the extra costs for better health care."

Anyone who wishes to make his own arrangements would be free to do so.

For all others, the plan will cover doctor bills "above a low annual cost."

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SEATTLE IN A DITHER

Everything Is 'Go'
For Fair Launching

SEATTLE (AP)—Today is Fair Day Minus 2.

Importance of the next fleeting hours, you ought to see the activity on the grounds of the Seattle's Worlds' Fair.

There's a blur of motion as a workman finishes planting rhododendrons near the playhouse.

"We were supposed to be done by March 15," muttered Roy Davidson, as he popped a plant into a hole and moved on.

"We'd plant something. Then someone would come along, dig it up and put a pipeline under it. That's why we're working nights."

Will the planting be done in time for Saturday's gala opening?

"Oh sure," he said. "There's no doubt about that."

In front of the Thailand exhibit, a young man named Charangue Eumopas slapped layers of wet plaster on a statue of a Thai temple guard.

Will the statue be completed?

"I don't think we'll have any problem," was the reply. In the fashion pavilion, a group of models rehearsed. Will they be ready?

As one of their instructors put it, "We're in great shape."

The fair will not open officially until noon Saturday when President Kennedy taps an historic gold telegraph key at his Easter vacation headquarters in Palm Beach, Fla.

That will set the restaurant atop the 600-foot space needle revolving, turn on the 100-foot-high international fountain, start the 538 bells of the world's largest carillon pealing and put 20 rides in the gateway station in action.

RACING — PAGE 13

Crackdown
Urged on
Oil Firms

OTTAWA (CP) — Service-station retail practices by some oil companies should be countered through amendments to the Combines Investigation Act, said a report of the Restrictive Trade Practices Commission made public today.

Some arrangements cannot "be economically justified in terms of benefit to the public," it said. They created a "cost-increasing tendency."

"There should ... be a prohibition of exclusive dealing and tying arrangements ... which are likely to lessen competition substantially, tend to create a monopoly or exclude competitors from a market to a significant degree."

WIDE RANGE

The report dealt with an inquiry into distribution and sale of automotive oils, greases, anti-freeze, additives, tires, batteries, accessories and related products.

A public hearing here last September followed an investigation into the situation started in 1953.

Evidence before the commission from retail and supply spokesmen said that some service stations are restricted by oil companies in the brand of accessories they can offer the public.

CAREFUL STUDY

Justice Minister Fulton, in a statement accompanying the report today, said its recommendations would receive "careful study and consideration."

Three specific practices were under scrutiny.

One is called "full-line forcing," under which a supplier such as an oil company agrees to sell or lease a commodity to the buyer—in this case a service station—on condition that a full line of other items is accepted.

Another is called directed buying. A supplier agrees to sell or lease a commodity on condition that the buyer takes another sales item from a source specified by the seller.

STRONG POSITION

The third arrangement is the market-access agreement under which an oil company would obtain accessories for its service stations from a selected supplier—in exchange for a special commission on all such sales made to those service stations.

Said today's report: "It is clear that the power of an oil company to increase the rental of a leased (service) station at the end of the relatively short lease period, or to terminate a lease on short notice, places it in a strong position."

reluctant dealer to follow a distribution policy acceptable to the oil company."

Tshombe Goes Home

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TODAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE	R	H	E
Chicago	10	8	0
Minnesota	9	5	3
Bushardt (1-1) and Carreon (0-1)			
Manning (1), Maranda (1), Sadovskis (0-1)			
Sligman (0) and Bettey (0-1)			
Landis (2-4); Min-Rollins (4)			
NATIONAL LEAGUE	R	H	E
St. Louis	9	14	0
New York	4	5	0
Washington (1-0), McDaniel (0) and Over-			
man (0-1); Jackson (0-2), Anderson (0)			
Moorehead (0) and Cammarzo, Landrith (0)			
Hill (1), St. L.-Boyer (0)			
Flood (1); NY-Bourchee (2), Thomas (2-4)			
Houston	6	12	1
St. Louis (2-0) and Faneau (0-4)			
Gerard (0), Schultz (0), Warner (0) and			
Thacker, Taylor (0); HR: Hou-Weekley (1)			



FIRST SUN BATH

First swim and sun bath for 1962 was enjoyed by many at Willows Beach in Wednesday's 69-degree warmth as photos by Times reporter-photographer John Bassett prove. Top picture shows Carolyn Maysmith, Lynda Bishop and Margaret Clarke, all 18, relaxing on the warm sands. Bottom photo shows Karl Loeschnick, 516 Trutch, rubbing tan oil on wife Ina's shoulders.

Survey of Doctors
Called 'Misleading'

REGINA (CP)—Premier Woodrow Lloyd, Health Minister W. G. Davies and Donald D. Tansley, chairman of the Saskatchewan medical care insurance commission, said today they doubt the reliability of a newspaper survey of how many doctors plan to leave the province when the compulsory

medical care plan goes into effect July 1.

Mr. Tansley said in a prepared statement the report of the survey was "nothing short of misleading." The questions were "leading and loaded."

He accused the Regina Leader-Post of initiating "misinformation and outright hysteria."

COMMONWEALTH MEET
FIXED FOR SEPT. 10

LONDON (Reuters)—Prime Minister Macmillan today announced Sept. 10 as the date of the long-awaited Commonwealth prime ministers' conference to discuss the vital question of Britain's entry into the Common Market.

He told the Commons the market issue will be "the main purpose of the meeting, although we shall of course make our normal review of world affairs."

In Ottawa, Prime Minister Diefenbaker said he was "very pleased" because by that time, Britain's negotiations with the six market nations should have reached a decisive point.



Guess th' best y' c'd say of th' Parliament list ended is that y' had t' hev th' 24th b'fore y' kin hev th' 25th.

Looks like University Way flunked its examination. Mister Bennett seems t' think: th' lower th' toll th' better th' poll.

PILGRIMS
GATHER
IN JERUSALEM

JERUSALEM (AP)—Hundreds of Christian pilgrims flocked to Jerusalem today to celebrate Easter in the ancient walled city where Christ was crucified and resurrected.

Turbaned Copts from Egypt and Greek Cypriots mixed with American and European tourists outside the Church of the Holy Sepulchre — the most hallowed spot in Christendom.

'Best Buy
Ever,' Says
Bennett

(See Also Page 6)

VANCOUVER (CP)—Premier Bennett said today he believes the new \$25,000,000 bond issue of the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority is the best issue ever put on the market "at this or any other time."

The premier was addressing some 400 bankers, brokers and other financial men he invited to a breakfast meeting to acquaint them with details of the new issue which goes on sale Tuesday.

Co-director of the authority, Dr. Gordon Shrum told the financial men he believed the authority could give the people power "at the lowest possible cost."

ONE UNIT

Unlike power setups in the United States and elsewhere where various companies handled various phases, the new B.C. authority would have charge of generation, trans-

mission and distribution of power for almost the entire province.

Dr. H. L. Keenleyside, the other co-chairman of the Authority, said that even with the recently-announced lower power rates by the Authority the former B.C. Power Commission phase of the new operation would have a profit of "four, five or six hundred thousand dollars" in the next fiscal year.

The \$25,000,000 from the bond issue will be used to refund outstanding notes of the Authority.

Leftists Rounded Up

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters)—Police began a roundup of labor and left-wing student leaders today after the armed forces demanded action by the Argentine government of President Jose Maria Guido against supporters of ex-dictator Juan Peron.

Canada's Extremes

High—Kamloops 84
Low—Kenora 24

Government
Wins Round

VANCOUVER (CP)—The British Columbia Court of Appeal, in a split decision today upheld the appeal of the B.C. government against a Supreme Court order placing the B.C. Electric in receivership and freezing the assets of the utility.

BCE, the giant privately-owned power company taken over by the provincial government last August, was placed in receivership by the Supreme Court March 22 on the application of its former sole parent, B.C. Power Corporation.

It was the first court victory for the provincial government and its BCE entity in court litigation with the B.C. Power Corporation.

Dr. Harry Purdy, its former president, was given power to guard assets estimated at \$800,000,000. Since then BCE has been merged by the government with B.C. Power Corporation into a single entity known as the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority.

APPEALED ORDER

The BCE and the attorney-general of the province appealed the receivership-freezing order more than two weeks ago.

The decision of the five-man Appeal Court today was split, with Mr. Justice T. G. Norris and Mr. Justice C. W. Tysoe dissenting.

Mr. Justice H. W. Davey, who presided, and Justices F. A. Sheppard and J. O. Wilson, assented to the appeal, although Justice Davey said he did so with reluctance and misgiving.

CRITICAL

Mr. Justice Davey criticized remedies available for actions of the legislature in the name of the Crown as "primitive and inadequate." But he said that without a fiat from the attorney-general for the right to sue the government, the courts could not interfere with the crown corporation.

"If this were an action between subjects, not involving the crown's prerogative on claims to property, I should, without hesitation, uphold an appropriate order for the preservation of the subject matters of the litigation until the trial of the action," Mr. Justice Davey wrote.

"But in my respectful opinion ... it is impossible in the present form of action against the attorney-general to sustain the order under appeal."

The decision means that pending any further legal action, Mr. Purdy ceases to be receiver of the assets of the former BCE Company and the assets now are freed.

B.C. Power said there would be no appeal against today's decision.

The development was the latest in a series of court battles between the government and B.C. Power Corporation which received a total of \$171,000,000 for the BCE from the province but claims the assets at the time of the takeover were worth \$225,000,000.

BCE has a Supreme Court action pending, claiming the legislation under which the BCE was expropriated was ultra vires of the powers of the province. It asks the court to rule on this and, if the legislation was found legal, to set a "fair" price on BCE assets.

Vancouver Stocks Closing Sales

VANCOUVER: Closing sales, Mt. McKenny 26,000 at 29½, Pese 1,000 at \$1.42, Royal Canadian Ventures 1,000 at 6½c, Earl Crest 1,000 at 32, Prudent Pete 1,000 at 20½, Kamloops Copper 500 at 26, General Resources 1,000 at 34, Canam 500 at 19½.

Gov.-Gen.
Dissolves
Parliament

By ALEX YOUNG

Times Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA — Canada's 24th parliament came to its formal end today and politicians began fanning out across the nation in their quest for support in the June 18 federal election.

Only a handful of MPs remained on Parliament Hill, winding up their affairs, as Prime Minister John Diefenbaker took off shortly after noon for Quebec City to get dissolution of parliament from Governor-General George Vanier.

The prime minister advised His Excellency he wanted dissolution and the issuance of writs for a June 18 general election.

The governor-general signed the proclamation at 2:26 p.m., E.S.T., ending the life of the 24th parliament, and affixed the great seal. He also approved orders-in-council setting the election date and ordering return of the writs.

The last sitting of the election-tense 24th parliament ended at 6:45 p.m. Wednesday. (See page 3.)

REPETITION OF '53

Diefenbaker's trip to the citadel today is a repetition of the way he dissolved parliament before his overwhelming victory in the 1958 campaign.

The prime minister's charge that he was forced into dissolution by opposition "obstruction" is viewed skeptically by most observers here.

The opposition argument that it was simply doing its job is generally regarded as a fair assessment. The consensus is that Diefenbaker's obstruction charge was no more than a gimmick to permit him to give some reason for dissolution.

Coolies Build Road

VIENTIANE, Laos (UPI)—Thousands of Chinese coolies have entered Laos to build the first highway linking the jungle kingdom with Red China.

EMBEZZLER
PAYS DIVIDEND
TO BANK

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A bank teller embezzled \$78,400, won a big lottery, then confessed and paid the bank back too much money, a Sydney court was told Wednesday.

John Corcoran, 25, pleaded guilty to embezzling and will be sentenced later. His lawyer told the court this story:

Corcoran took the money from the bank at various times and lost it playing the horses and greyhounds. He covered the embezzlement so well that the bank knew nothing until he won \$224,000 in a government lottery and confessed. The prosecution said he gave the bank \$85,130 for good measure.



PACIFIC CROSS PILGRIMAGE started in Nanaimo Wednesday when men of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church carried 120-pound cross along Trans-Canada Highway to Ladysmith. Second stage will start at 8 tonight, when cross will be carried to Chemainus, arriving at about midnight. Marchers rest every 50 minutes for 10-minute break, and alternate positions. Pilgrimage will end at Victoria Easter Sunday morning. — (Agnes Flett Photo.)

LIBERALS

Continued from Page 1
There will be no charge to anyone who does not go to a doctor.
"Liberal action will take fear out of health costs," said the pamphlet. "The maximum amount of doctor bills that anyone will be required to pay will be small; but it will be a safeguard against unreasonable demands for attention."
"How these payments are made will be arranged in agreement with the provinces. They will be designed to cover rather less than a half of the total cost of medical care."
The federal government would pay the rest of the cost from general revenue.
The plan outlined today is in line with resolutions adopted at the national Liberal convention in 1958—at which Mr. Pearson was chosen leader—and again at the party's national rally in 1961.

ENTRIES

AQUEDUCT

FIRST RACE—One mile:
Lalaina 120
Pugna 120
Induna 120
Coutura Nancy 113
B-Side Talk 120
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Jovana Flint 113
Little Kelly 108
East-Cote 108
Clever May 113
New Mair 113
Nita Dee 113
THIRD RACE—Five furlongs:
A-Vig
Pimstone 117
An Oddity 117
A-The Tragicolyte 120
By Command 113
Princess Hello 113
FOURTH RACE—One mile:
Rao Rada 122
Exclusive 113
Nashua 113
Vitality 110
FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs:
A-Gi Ahead 114
Grand Stand 118
Sunshine 111
By-By 110
Dill Reid 122
Be Somebody 122
The Beagle 124
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Band Stand 113
Potentiality 117
Lucky Theda 118
Count Rique 116
Prest Park 116
Our Son Don 116
SEVENTH RACE—One mile:
Tyrold 117
Nashua 113
Carry Back 120
Wine Ship 120
Whilow 117
Udair 117
EIGHTH RACE—Seven furlongs:
Rooftop 117
Pioneer May 110
Duff Plumber 114
Stark Row 108
NINTH RACE—Five miles:
Sir Barker 115
Band Master 117
Leave Canceled 115
Mamie 115

SELECTIONS

AQUEDUCT

1-Bright Talk, Teller, Induna.
2-Key Board, New Mair, Joyous.
3-An Oddity, The Tragicolyte, Princess Hello.
4-Rao Rada, S-W, Exclusive Nashua.
5-Budwill, Be Somebody, Bon Jour.
6-Subtle, Lucky Theda, Potentiality.
7-Carry Back, Wine Ship, Odamp.
8-Sugar And Cream, Devil Power.
Prize Mart.
9-Bran Knuckles, Band Master, Leave Canceled.

RESULTS

TANFORAN

First Race:
Fidoliste (Venezuela) 2:00 2:10
Also ran: Alice Arce, Ardanza, Miss.
Fring Wine, Honey Cut, Chasmore.
Luis Jean, Headling. Time, 1:14.5.
Second Race:
Lucky Jade (Camosa) \$30.50 \$11.50 \$4.00
Enlithis (Tanguchi) 5:20 5:30
Philo (Venezuela) 4:20
Also ran: Jet's Peer, Silver Fiddle.
Friday, Pamela, Al-Pin, Indian Johnson.
Navy First, Galea. Time, 1:14.
AQUEDUCT
First Race:
Time to Sell (Usury) \$14.50 \$6.50 \$7.10
Bobo Gem (Guatemala) 4:70 1:10
Barney Bill (Beland) 2:30 2:40
Time, 1:12.5.
Second Race:
Busher Golden (Beland) \$3.20 \$2.40 \$2.40
Sue Dancy (Hazz) 3:10 2:10
Gunga Ring (Mellon) 2:10 2:10
Time, 1:12.5.
Third Race:
Trip Ahead (Shaker) \$8.20 \$3.10 \$2.70
Pallory (Rog) 2:30 2:30
Time, 1:09.5.
Fourth Race:
Verka (Beland) \$0.80 \$4.10 \$2.30
Nest Egg (Clark) \$3.00 2:70
Mr. Bambi (Shoemaker) 3:30
Time, 1:12.5.
Fifth Race:
Folk Dancer (Venezuela) \$5.80 \$2.30 \$2.30
Nobis (Shoemaker) 3:50 2:20
Sonic South (Raza) 3:30
Time, 1:12.5.
Sixth Race:
Bismarck (Raza) \$16.80 \$4.40 \$4.40
Hard Rock Man (Shimmer) 4:50 2:10
Chief Byram (Raza) 4:20
Time, 1:11.5.
Seventh Race:
Jeddy (Beland) \$4.40 \$2.10 \$2.10
Thompson III (Venezuela) 2:50 2:30
Inus (Leonard) 4:30
Time, 1:12.

Hub Planners Study Six-Storey Project

NANAIMO — Plans for construction of two six-storey, 36-suite apartment buildings in the vicinity of the new Nanaimo District Hospital at a cost of more than \$500,000 are under review by Nanaimo Advisory Planning Commission.
William Luhtala, local realtor representing the backers of the enterprise, applied to the commission to rezone the area at Beaufort Avenue and Chelsea Crescent to permit the building of apartments.
Commission members will inspect the site, then make a decision Tuesday evening. Their recommendation will go to the city council April 30 for a final decision.
Backers are prepared to provide a swimming pool, ample parking, landscaping and the city's first apartment elevators.
Mr. Luhtala said that if approval is given, one of the buildings can be completed by the time the new hospital goes into operation in October.
LADYSMITH — A bylaw restricting parking to two hours in the business district here has been given final reading by the village commission.
The limit will apply from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., but all parking will be banned on First Avenue from 2 a.m. to 8 a.m. to allow the recently purchased street sweeping machine to operate effectively.
Also provided in the bylaw is a clause making it illegal to park within 10 feet of the centre line. This is to stop trailer trucks from blocking traffic. There is also a 30-minute limit on all trucks loading and unloading on First Avenue.
CUMBERLAND — Fire causing damage estimated in the thousands of dollars completely destroyed the Canadian Legion Club here late Tuesday night.
The fire started after closing hours while no one was in the building. Two trucks and 18 firemen battled the blaze unsuccessfully.
The fire is believed to have started in a trash can. The club was fully insured.
GANGES — Officers of Salt Spring Island Rod and Gun Club are L. H. Lorentsen, elected to his third term as president; Victor Jackson, vice-president; Larry Anderson, treasurer, and Mrs. John Bennett, secretary.
Executive committee members are Nels Degene, Mrs. A. W. Wolfe-Milner, R. H. Lee, J. Morrison, J. Fletcher, Art Young, Gordon Scarfe, K. Stevens, Robert Wood Jr., Armand Quesnel, J. Waterfall, Fred Morris, Col. D. G. Crofton, Mac Mout, Mrs. W. Jackson and Laurie Mout.
COURTENAY — Correction of a mistake in arithmetic will result in a reduction of the city's tax rate from 42 to 40 mills, according to Mayor W. C. Moore.
During first and second reading of the city's budget on Monday the rate was set at 42 mills. Discovery later of a \$12,000 error in calculating interest on sewer connection loans made the reduction possible, he said.
LADYSMITH — The education department has authorized the addition of Art 91, an art major, to the courses offered at Chemainus High School.
Ken Weeks of Ladysmith, a member of the Chemainus High staff, was recommended by the department to teach the course. It is unusual for a high school in a small district to be able to offer this course, according to the department.
BOSTON (CP) — Finland's Eino Oksanen, after a rugged battle over the early miles, won the 66th annual Boston marathon today.

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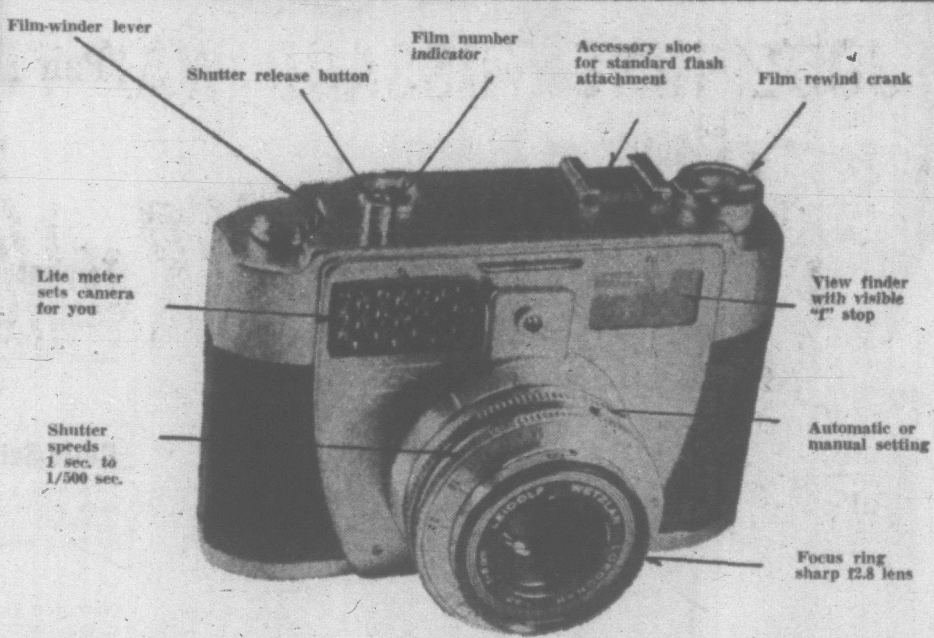


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Hip-length coats of fine cotton lined with flannel for cooler summer days and between-season gabdabouts. Two patch pockets to keep things in. Blue, green and gold. Sizes 4-6x. Special 4⁹⁹
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